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THE VARIOUS RATES

THE WATER COMPANY HAS WANTED FROM TIME TO TIME.

SIX YEARS AGO 25 CENTS

For 1,000 Gallons and Now They Are Wanting 50 Cents—Bond Issue to Be Submitted.

Since many of our citizens are talking about the water problem and the unreasonableness of the new rate the City Water company wants, it might be well to give the old rate under their franchise, which expired six or seven years ago, and also various rates they have wanted from time to time.

Under the old franchise the rate was 25 cents per 1,000 gallons, with no minimum rate, we understand.

April 5, 1906, a water franchise for twenty years was voted on with a 25-cent rate for 1,000 gallons and a minimum rate of 25 cents, which was defeated by a vote of 344 for and 350 against. The water company stated in the newspapers at that time that they would not accept the franchise if it did carry, and this probably had a great deal to do in the franchise being defeated.

Then in 1908, the utility commission that was appointed by Mayor Robinson recommended a rate of 33-1/3 cents per 1,000 gallons and a minimum rate of 50 cents. The report of the commission was adopted by the council and has since been the rates of the water company.

Now the City Water company wants a franchise for twenty years for 50 cents for 1,000 gallons, with a minimum rate of 75 cents, or twice as much as they were getting six or seven years ago. The reason given for the increase, as has been stated, is that the company intends to make \$45,000 worth of improvements. That many of the proposed improvements will save the company considerable operating expenses and do more work is the opinion of a number of the citizens here, and the increased rate should not be asked if the new improvements will save in operating expenses.

The ordinance calling for an election to vote on the proposition of issuing \$100,000 in bonds for the purpose of installing a plant is being prepared and will be presented to the council Friday evening at their regular meeting. It is thought that the council will adopt the ordinance and then submit it to the people.

There is no change in the water situation today. Several laborers are working up the river digging ditches to get the water down, and the dam is being fixed.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Wedding at Baptist Parsonage.

Miss Helen H. Weddle of Elmo and Mr. Floyd J. Blackford of Clearmont were united in marriage at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the First Baptist church at his home, on West Third street. Those who witnessed the ceremony were Mrs. Anna Reece of Elmo, a sister of the bride, Mrs. Lee Harrel and

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Mr. Will J. Montgomery of this city. The wedding party was conveyed to and from the minister's home by Mr. Montgomery in his automobile. Mr. Blackford is a young farmer living five miles north of Clearmont and is a son of Judge W. M. Blackford. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Weddle of Elmo. Both are highly favored young people.

Rebekah Lodge Social at Wilcox.

The Rebekahs of Wilcox will give an apron and necktie social Saturday night, July 22d, to which everybody is invited. Ice cream and cake will be served and a good social time is assured.

For Platte County Guests.

Mrs. Louis Tebow and her mother, Mrs. M. McComas entertained at dinner Thursday at the country home of Mrs. Tebow, east of the city, Mrs. Leonard Epperson and daughter, Miss Anna Maude; Mrs. F. M. Dick and Miss Lula McComas of Edgerton, Mo. The afternoon was spent in social amusements.

For Guest from Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson entertained about fifty-five guests Wednesday night at their beautiful country home in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood, in honor of Mrs. Anderson's sister, Miss Mabel Hopkinson, a deaconess from Des Moines, Ia. A musical program was rendered. The evening was spent in a social manner. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Entertained Royal Workers.

Mrs. Henry Smock entertained Wednesday for Mrs. Smock's Sunday school class, the "Royal Workers," at her country home, three and one-half miles northeast of Maryville, in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood. The class consists of ten boys and eight girls. Other guests beside the class were Mrs. John Anderson and her sister, Miss Mabel Hopkinson of Des Moines, Ia., and Rev. J. H. Thompson of Barnard. An impromptu program was given and refreshments served. Mrs. Smock had for dinner guests Thursday Mrs. John Hantz of Colome, S. D., and Mrs. W. W. Marsh of the Mt. Ayr neighborhood.

Fishing Party.

A merry crowd of young folks spent the day fishing at Harman's grove, east of Pickering, Tuesday. About 12 o'clock a bountiful dinner was served and the rest of the evening was spent in fishing and other enjoyments. They returned home at a rather late hour with about forty pounds of fish. Those present were Mabel Jenkins, Leatha Patterson, Edna Garrett, Mildred Stafford, Bernice Baker, Edith Patterson, Verda Garrett, Florence Lawson, Lydia Onstott, Mabel Clayton, Robert Onstott, George Patterson, Ray McDowell, Cleo Mitchell, Glen Patterson, Myron Baker, Ernest Stafford, Robert Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Patterson.

Visitors from Clyde.

Miss Marguerite Enis of Clyde and her sister, Miss Victoria Enis of Omaha, were in Maryville shopping and calling on friends Thursday. They were accompanied by their nephew, Master Eugene Enis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Enis. Miss Victoria Enis is on a vacation visit to her brothers and sisters in Clyde. She is employed in the Brandeis department store in Omaha.

Visitors from Oklahoma City.

Miss Margaret Gallagher and Miss Lucilla Welch of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in Maryville Wednesday night on a visit to their grandfather, Owen Murrin, and uncle, John Murrin, and family.

Miss Marie Estella Lippman went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to spend the day with Mrs. Zella Mullin.

Mrs. Bert Wray and daughter, Miss Clara, went to Kansas City Thursday morning for a two weeks' stay.

Mrs. Moses Johnson and daughter, Miss Ella, of Stanberry, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Johnson and two children of Walthall, Neb., were in Maryville Thursday morning on their way to Barnard to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Goff.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Airy and little daughter left Thursday morning for their home in Okmulgee, Okla., after a two weeks' visit with Mr. Airy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Airy, and brother, Emery Airy, and Mrs. Airy.

Mrs. W. P. Stuckie of Clyde spent Thursday in Maryville, the guest of her brother, Aaron Felix, and family.

RESULTS OF THE MINK LEAGUE GAMES

Mink League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Falls City	32	21	.604
Auburn	30	24	.556
Shenandoah	28	26	.519
Humboldt	25	29	.463
Clarinda	25	30	.455
Nebraska City	22	32	.407

Falls City, Neb., July 20.—Falls City made it three straight yesterday from Shenandoah. Score:

	R.H.E.
Falls City	4 0 0 0 0 0 30—7 7 0
Shenandoah	0 0 0 0 0 0 20—2 4 3
Batteries—Finch and Vanderhill; Duran and Castle. Umpire—Myers.	
Humboldt, Neb., July 20.—Everett held Nebraska City to four hits yester- day and shut them out. Score:	

	R.H.E.
Humboldt	0 0 0 0 0 0 100—1 6 3
Nebraska City	0 0 0 0 0 0 100—0 4 2
Batteries—Everett and Dietz; Willford and Herman. Umpire—Kratsberg.	

Auburn, Neb., July 20.—Auburn took another game from Clarinda yesterday, making it three in a row. Score:

	R.H.E.
Auburn	0 0 1 0 2 0 0 1—4 9 2
Clarinda	0 0 0 0 0 0 100—1 4 4
Batteries—Hirsch and Kraninger; Smithson and Harmony. Umpire—Kissane.	

WILL HAVE COTTAGE AT LAC DU FLAMBEAU

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae Corwin, will leave Friday noon for the lakes of northern Wisconsin. When they arrive in Chicago they will be met by Miss Madge Boyn of Kansas City, who will accompany them to Lake Lac du Flambeau, where the Corwins have leased a summer cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Corwin will return about the first of August, when Miss Corwin and Miss Boyd will be joined by Miss Mildred Yoder of Herrington, Kan., and Miss Edith Gary and her mother of Warrensburg, Mo., and the entire party will remain about two months.

Miss Corwin and Miss Gary are Missouri state university girls and Miss Boyd and Miss Yoder are Kansas state university girls. Miss Boyd visited in Maryville last summer as the guest of Miss Corwin and Miss Donna Sisson.

MISS EDNA RANDALL'S FATHER IS DEAD

Miss Bettie M. Anthony received a telegram Thursday morning from Miss Olive Edna Randall, at Mt. Vernon, Ia., stating that her father died at his home there at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. Miss Randall, formerly a member of the Northwest Normal faculty, is spending the vacation months at her parents' home.

Another former member of the Normal faculty, Professor Frank Zimmerman, has been bereaved of his family.

After the close of the Normal in

FOUNTAIN WILL BE HERE IN A FEW DAYS

The animal drinking fountain donated by the National Humane alliance will arrive in the city in a few days as it was shipped from Rockland, Maine, on July 14, according to word received by Mayor Robey this morning. No location has, as yet, been selected for the fountain.

In Hospital at Spokane.

Mrs. H. O. Swinford, who left Maryville the 20th of June in company with her little daughter, Helen, for their home in Spokane, Wash., after a two months' visit with Mr. Swinford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swinford of East Second street, is in a hospital at Spokane where she was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago. She will soon be fully recovered.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to Lloyd J. Blackford of Clearmont and Helen H. Weddle of Elmo.

Mrs. Fred Monroe of Hopkins spent Wednesday evening in Maryville.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

FIGHT HAS STARTED

DECLARATION THAT PARTY POSITION WILL NOT PROTECT.

LA FOLLETTE AFTER TAFT

A Word Picture of Administrative Perfidy to the Progressives' Cause by Wisconsin Senator.

By VAN CLEVE.

Washington, D. C., July 15.—Continuing his respects to the president, Senator La Follette, in his speech delivered in the United States senate the other day, said:

"In his acceptance speech, Mr. Taft gave the public distinctly to understand that he favored an income tax. Criticizing the Democratic platform, because it recommended a constitutional amendment providing for an income tax, he said:

"In my judgment, an amendment to the constitution for an income tax is not necessary. I believe that an income tax * * * can and should be devised which, under the decisions of the supreme court, will conform to the constitution."

"He was not talking about a corporation tax, but an income tax as commonly understood, the very income tax pledge in the Democratic platform. He realized that the income tax was popular as a campaign issue, and he led the public to believe that he had a plan through which the tax upon incomes could be levied directly through legislation without waiting for the long delay and uncertainty incident to amending the constitution, as proposed in the Democratic platform."

"He well understood that the people very generally favor a tax upon the individual incomes of the rich, and his suggestion of the possibility of accomplishing this at once through legislation placed him in a position of great advantage on this issue."

"In other words, the voter had a right to believe that Taft the lawyer, the judge, was strongly in favor of the income tax and had in mind a feasible plan for the enactment of a constitutional law taxing the individual incomes of the enormously rich, and that by voting for the Republican candidate the country would have the benefit of such a tax as soon as congress could convene and enact the Taft plan into law."

"Mark, now, how completely the voter was misled."

"Mr. Taft was elected. The tariff bill came to the senate. The opportunity was offered to add an amendment to tax individual incomes and resubmit this important question to the supreme court, which had decided against such an income tax by only one majority."

"Senator Cummins proposed an amendment providing for a tax on individual incomes of \$5,000 and over. Senator Bailey proposed another. The two were combined, and votes enough pledged to insure the adoption of the amendment. The proposition to tax individual incomes was so strong with the country that Mr. Aldrich, bitterly opposed to it as he was, could not hold all of his followers in line."

"Senators Borah and Cummins had discussed the matter fully with the president. They were assured of the president's sympathy with the amendment, and all progressive senators, remembering his campaign declaration on this subject, believed that he could be relied upon to stand just where he stood in the campaign."

"At last it seemed certain that the enormous wealth in the hands of individuals hitherto escaping taxation would be compelled to pay its just share in support of government."

"And then just when the people seemed assured of winning a great victory, the senator from Rhode Island, Mr. Aldrich, without a moment's warning sprung his plan to 'tax corporations' as a substitute for the Cummins-Bailey income tax amendment, and to the utter amazement of the progressives, who had been in conference with and supposed they had the support of the executive, the Aldrich scheme to substitute the 'corporation tax' received the endorsement and approval by a special message of the president of the United States."

"A tax on corporations' It was indeed an artful dodge. 'Make the corporations pay!' The soulless corporations which had so long exacted excessive profits from the people were at last to be compelled to turn over some of their surplus wealth to support the government."

"Stand-pat senators with elections pending, who were timid about voting

against the income tax, seized upon this opportunity to kill the amendment taxing individual incomes by supporting as a substitute a measure with such a fair sounding title as a 'tax upon corporations.' It would be so easy for one when charged with aiding in the defeat of the income tax to answer: 'Yes, but I voted to tax the big corporations instead.'

"These senators knew that Aldrich and the president knew—that every corporation would add the corporation tax to the fixed charges of the business and exact from the public, through increased rates and prices, every dollar paid as a tax to the government. Tax corporations indeed! It was an added tax upon the people. It was a tax which the corporations could and did shift to their customers—the public. It was a fit amendment to come from the senator from Rhode Island. He was always frank and open in support of measures of like character, but what shall be said of the president of the United States, who, in the campaign, has given the voters of this country to understand that he would favor an income tax upon the great wealth of individuals—a tax which once levied upon the individual, after he had received his dividends from Standard Oil, United States steel and railroad bonds and stocks, could not then be shifted to the public?"

"It was, sir, a suitable provision to be coupled with the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. It harmonized with its whole plan. It increased the burdens upon the people. It added betrayal to betrayal."

"In all the record of this administration no more glaring example is presented of the complete surrender to special interests and the complete reversal of Roosevelt's progressive policies than that shown in dealing with the amendments to the interstate commerce act. Under the guise of fulfilling party platform promises for the control of over-capitalization, a bill amending the interstate commerce act was drafted in the department of justice with the aid of Wall street attorneys, expert in all the schemes of railroad finance, and made the subject of a special executive message."

"I wish it were possible to acquaint the president of any knowledge of the real character of the administration bill for the amendment of the interstate and anti-trust laws, as drafted by the attorney general, for nothing is more damaging in the record of this administration; but the president not only assumed the full responsibility for the bill as drafted, but made it clear by special message submitted to congress on the 7th day of January, 1910, that he was well acquainted with all of its provisions, and recommended its enactment into law. He said in that message, after discussing the provisions of the measure in detail:

"By any direction the attorney general has drafted a bill to carry out these recommendations."

"Mr. President, it would have been difficult to have framed a piece of legislation affecting interstate commerce more harmful to the public interest than this bill, drafted by the attorney general and recommended to congress by President Taft."

"It is fair to say that the bill contained some provisions in the public interest; but they were barely sufficient to veil thinly the true purpose of the measure."

"Much credit has been claimed for the administration because the bill, as finally passed, greatly strengthened the interstate commerce law. But, sir, it is time to vindicate the truth. It is time that the country should understand. It will help us to weigh at their true value the recommendations of the executive on the pending legislation if we review in this connection the record of the administration wherever the interests of privilege are in conflict with the interests of the public."

"As President Taft's railroad bill was presented to the senate it covered forty-four pages. It was entitled 'A bill to create a court of commerce.' It was especially heralded as a bill to prevent stock watering and over-capitalization. Like the so-called reciprocity bill, it was a sham and was set before the country under false pretenses and with a false title. The court of commerce provision was little more than a mask, behind which, concealed in obscure and devious language, lurked the sinister purposes of the measure. For twelve long weeks in this chamber progressive Republican senators and progressive Democratic senators made war upon the provisions of that bill, which were hostile to the public interest. Through their efforts the bill was reconstructed in the face of strong opposition and continued criticism from the White House. As it was finally enacted it was no longer the president's (Continued on page three.)

CANTATA AT NORMAL

"FAIR ELLEN," A TALE OF OLD SCOTCH WARFARE.

WILL BE GIVEN TUESDAY

Prof. Landon and Miss Marie Jones Will Sing Solo Parts—Debate Will Also Be Given.

On next Tuesday night, July 25, under the direction of Prof. P. O. Landon, the Normal Glee club will give, in the chapel of the Normal building, the cantata, "Fair Ellen." There will be no admission fee charged, and everybody is requested to come, as it will be the first entertainment given in the new chapel, which is now complete, except for a few minor furnishings. It is the largest hall in the city for entertainments, and is furnished with some eighteen hundred opera chairs of a very comfortable design. The stage is the largest one in town and gives ample room for entertainments, such as will be given Tuesday night. The trussed ceiling and the lighting fixtures are other very attractive features of the chapel. Eight large chandeliers hang from the beams in the ceiling by chains. To the chains are attached large inverted brass domes, from each one of which hangs a cluster of seven lights.

The cantata, "Fair Ellen," is written by Max Bruch, and is a tale of old Scotch warfare.

Fair Ellen, Lord Edward and party are besieged by foes in a castle, and are on the verge of starvation when they are rescued by the clan of Campbell. A suggestion of the music of "The Campbells Are Coming" is used as a motif throughout the cantata.

The solo parts will be sung by Prof. Landon and Miss Marie Jones. Prof. Landon has been drilling the glee club on the chorus work since the opening of the summer term, and he expects to make this the greatest musical entertainment ever given by the Normal.

In addition to the cantata will be given a literary program of a half an hour, consisting of a debate. The question for discussion is: Resolved, that foreign immigration should be further restricted by law. The speaker for the affirmative will be Egbert Jennings, and for the negative J. F. Taylor.

SENATOR GORE SURE TO BE AT CHAUTAUQUA

In speaking of the Chautauqua, Prof. P. O. Landon said that there would be no doubt about Senator Gore being here, as congress is to adjourn on the 7th of August, and Senator Gore does not speak here until the 19th.

Mrs. Edward Orear went to Kansas City Thursday morning to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Unmuthum.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Cottrill, living south of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to visit Mrs. Cottrill's sister, Mrs. John Hawley.

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The Weather

Unsettled with probably showers this afternoon or tonight. Friday fair

Eye Warnings

Come in aches, pains and burning sensations. Most everybody feels these symptoms sooner or later—but few people heed them soon enough. If you have cause to rub your eyes when reading at night, or when sewing, it is ample time to get the help of glasses. The right glasses will give immediate relief. We are able to fit you perfectly in the quickest possible time.

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WILCOX.

John Colden reached home Wednesday morning, after an extended trip through Illinois and Indiana.

The Misses Cain spent last Sunday with Mrs. Belle Hall.

A. G. Mounts was in Maryville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Charley Polley entertained her mother, from Maryville, one day recently.

The Rebekah ladies met Thursday morning and cleaned the hall.

Mrs. Ella Wagner entertained her cousin from Clarinda, Ia., one day last week.

Mrs. Nina Thomas Dobson left Thursday for St. Joseph, where she will make her home.

Charles Colden was out from Maryville Wednesday, and returned in the evening.

Rev. Walton came in from Elmo Wednesday, where he has spent the past few weeks.

Mrs. Letha Patterson returned home Wednesday, after a visit with her grandparents.

Jesse Onstott is visiting home folks at present.

Mr. Taylor, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Hainline, and

family, left for Maryville Wednesday. Mr. Taylor is contemplating a trip west, so we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vert were out from Maryville Thursday. We are all glad to know that they have not forgotten Wilcox.

So many of our good people have been out on fishing trips we are unable to name them all, so will simply state that a number of good catches have been reported.

Okie Huff left Friday for Pattonsburg, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Charles Yates. She will return within about ten days and will again be with Grandma Ferguson, where she has made her home for nearly a year.

Mrs. M. A. Smith, son Emmett and little daughter, Fredia, were shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Rev. Walton preached at the Christian church here Sunday, both morning and evening, with a fair attendance. We regret to state that so far as is known at present Rev. Walton will not be here again.

We suppose "you all" will be at the necktie and apron social Friday night at this place. Ice cream served on the lawn we believe is the intention of the ladies of the lodge.

F. E. Saltzman came down from Grand Island, Neb., this week to join his wife, who has been visiting her parents here for some time. He was in St. Joseph on business recently.

Wesley Chapel will cross bats with the Wilcox boys at Haller park Sunday, July 23. This will no doubt be the best game of the season, and all rooters interested in the welfare of the Chapel team will please come forward.

TONIGHT—Fern theater. High class musical comedy company. Two photo plays. A guaranteed attraction. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

Master Paul Miller, son of Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller, returned Wednesday evening from a several days' visit in Hopkins with the family of his uncle, Dr. Ed Miller.

Miss Anice Ingerson went to Stanberry Thursday to visit Miss Pearl Tibbets and other relatives.

Andy Ohris Cummins went to Conception Junction Thursday.

Miss Alma Handley went to Ford City Thursday to spend a few days with home folks.

John Woods and daughter, Miss Clara, of Clyde, were shopping in town Thursday.

Frank Cummins went to Clyde Thursday, where he will spend two weeks on the farm of his father, T. A. Cummins, which is occupied by Joseph Leigh.

Miss Marguerite Cummins went to Darlington Thursday to spend two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Garten.

Lawrence Cummins of Worth, Mo., is on his vacation visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cummins.

Judge Shambargar of Hughes township was in the city Thursday.

Miss Anna Byrnes of Lamar, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Aaron Felix.

Mrs. Solomon Clark of Pickering is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Williams.

Mrs. William Rutherford of Pickering spent Thursday with her son, H. L. Rutherford, and family.

Mrs. R. W. Harrison and her mother, Mrs. E. W. Green of Stanberry were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carden of Quitman were in Maryville Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lewis.

Miss Ruby Townsend and Miss Esther Townsend of Stockton, Ill., arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Townsend, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hooker.

Miss Mary Q. Evans returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit with friends in Des Moines and Marshalltown, Ia.

Mrs. Flora Rogers and little son went to St. Joseph Wednesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Raymond Atchison.

Mrs. James Duffy and little son, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Otis, the past three weeks, returned to their home in Kansas City Wednesday evening.

TONIGHT—Fern theater. High class musical comedy company. Two photo plays. A guaranteed attraction. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

WANTED—A good second-hand trunk. Bell phone 387.

A GRASSHOPPER PEST THREATENS

Grasshoppers are attacking the drought parched corn of Northwest Missouri and threaten to take what the dry weather leaves. Sam Jordan, corn expert in the employ of the State Board of Agriculture at Columbia, issued this statement on the situation Wednesday, with direction for fighting the hopper pest:

"A letter from Skidmore today says that the air was thick with hoppers yesterday between ten o'clock in the morning and noon, but that the pest is less than last week. The hoppers seem to be going southeast and have stripped many corn fields taking the blades and tassels. The correspondents in that section say rain has to come at once or corn is a failure."

"As to fighting grass hoppers trapping is sometimes used with considerable success. A float on which is placed a shallow pan with kerosene in it, is constructed with a woven wire shield at the rear of the pan, and the apparatus driven across the meadows, pastures, or wherever the pest is present and crops do not interfere with driving across. The hoppers jump onto the float, strike the screen wire shield, fall into the kerosene and hop off, but everyone that touches the kerosene quickly dies. In the fall when they lay their eggs, late fall plowing is recommended."

LINE-UP FOR THE
BALL GAME FRIDAY

The tickets are selling fast for the fast game of ball that is to be played Friday afternoon at Riffe's park, between the North end and South end Maryville boys for the benefit of the Mothers' Circle. The game will be called at 3 o'clock. Following is the line-up:

South end—Francis Cummins, second base; Francis McDougal, first base; Berney Harris, Jr., catcher; Byron Costello, third base; Robert Harris, shortstop; Dewey Covey, center field; B. E. Condon, left field; Irwin Harris, pitcher; Frank Cook, right field; Paul Pickens, Will Hutchison, George Lee Fleming, Emmett Bartram, substitutes.

North end—Paul Buhler, second base; E. Hawkins, first base; Perry Culver, catcher; D. Hagin, third base; H. Tilson, shortstop; T. Redfield, center field; Claude Glass, left field; H. Buhler, pitcher; Forrest Gillam, right field; Joe Kemp, Tunc Wiles, substitutes.

On Visit to College Mate.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon left Thursday for Chillicothe, Mo., to spend a week with Miss Maud Petty. Miss Sheldon and Miss Petty were roommates at Howard-Payne college, at Fayette.

Mayor Doulin in Town.

Mayor Charles E. Doulin of Hopkins was a business visitor in Maryville Thursday.

J. B. Luton of St. Joseph, who has been spending a few days in Maryville with his family, at the home of Mrs. Luton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Brien, went to Conway, Ia., Thursday to visit his parents. Mr. Luton has charge of the traffic department of the Battrell Shoe company of St. Joseph.

Mrs. H. K. Taylor and daughters, Miss Emma Lee Taylor and Miss Hattie Mae Taylor, returned to Maryville Wednesday night from a several weeks' stay in Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. T. J. Tobin and daughters, Katharine and Irene, of Burlington Junction came to Maryville Thursday for a two days' visit with her mother, Mrs. John Vaughn.

Little Miss Miriam Sanders accompanied her guest, Miss Ruth O'Malley, to her home in Albany Thursday. She will return home Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Vance of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in the city Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott of South Depot street.

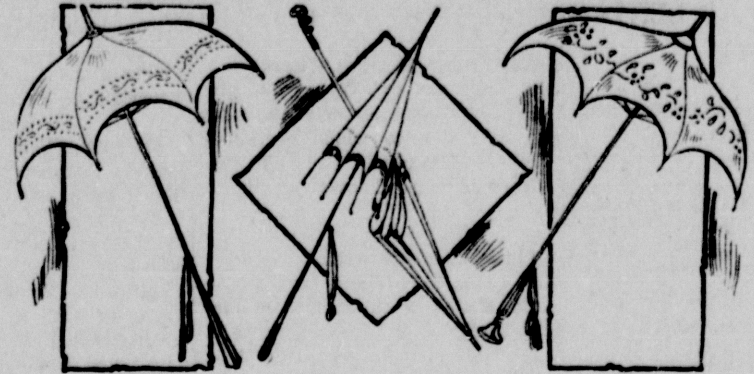
Mrs. Dr. Dodds of Bolckow arrived in the city Thursday to visit Mrs. Helen Hopkins and other relatives.

Mrs. Sarah Hewitt and son of Pickering left Thursday for Knowlton, Ia., to visit her brother, Clifton Hewitt.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

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JULY CLEARANCE SALE



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Umbrellas in the regular conservative styles or in the approved dome or Japanese shapes. Even at the present time there is a nice assortment of colors to choose from. The handles are of beautiful woods carved in modish shapes. Marked in plain figures—wait on yourself—pay us just

half-price

UMBRELLAS

Men's and Women's umbrellas, all qualities, in the July Clearance Sale for a fifth off

Stylish Petticoats

All-Silk, Heatherbloom and Gingham Petticoats

Silk petticoats, heatherbloom and imitation heatherbloom petticoats, and seersucker and zephyr gingham petticoats have been given great reductions in the Clearance Sale. It's economy to buy now for future needs.

The prices—

Silk Petticoats

\$10.00 grades for \$6.50
\$8.75 and \$7.50 for \$5.25
\$5.00 grades for \$3.75

Heatherbloom Petticoats

\$4.00 grades for \$2.50
\$3.75 grades for \$2.25
\$2.50 grades for \$2.00
\$2.00 grades for \$1.50

Imitation Heatherbloom

\$1.50 grades for 98c
85c and 75c for 69c

Gingham Petticoats

\$1.50 grades for \$1.19
\$1.25 grades for 98c
85c and 75c for 69c
69c grades for 50c
50c grades for 39c

(Suit Section)

Fine Handkerchiefs

Remarkable reductions on women's high-grade handkerchiefs during the Clearing Sale. Made of sheer linen; best quality. Embroidered in pleasing designs or daintily hemstitched. Near to half-price.

\$1.25 values for 75c
\$1.00 values for 60c
75c values for 50c

All other handkerchiefs reduced.



Veilings

Veilings in all grades and in all meshes will be reduced this way.

25c values for 19c
35c values for 25c
50c values for 39c
75c values for 50c

Switches

Switches made of real human hair are reduced as follows.

\$7.50 grades for \$4.75
\$6.00 grades for \$3.50

Union Suits

Children's durable and long wearing union suits are marked to sell in the Clearing Sale for,

69c union suits, ages 12 to 16 years, summer weight, for 48c
50c union suits, ages 2 to 10 years, summer weight, for 39c
25c union suits for 19c

Jewelry

Our large stock of Jewelry will be offered during the Clearance Sale for

1-4 off

Bed Spread Clearing

Offering Greater Values Than are Ordinarily Found

All styles of bed spreads are reduced—plain, fringed, scalloped, with or without cut corners. The reductions are,

Bed spreads worth \$5, \$4 and \$3.50, for \$2.95
Bed spreads worth \$3, \$2.50 and \$2.25, for \$1.95
Bed spreads worth \$1.75, for \$1.29

Bleached and Unbleached Crashes

20c grades for 17c
12½c grades for 10c
18c grades for 15c
10c grades for 9c
15c grades for 13c

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision—also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL
AND SEE WELL
IF YOU HAVE THEM
FITTED AT

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

100 West Third Street.

Bargain Day at Townsend's Friday

Our prices cannot be equalled elsewhere.

20c boxes MULE TEAM BORAX.....	10c
10c boxes MULE TEAM BORAX.....	5c
25c boxes POSTUM.....	19c
25c boxes UNCLE SAM BREAKFAST FOOD.....	20c
40c quality SOUR PICKLES, gal.....	25c
CALIFORNIA SWEET ORANGES, good size, doz.....	25c
CALIFORNIA SWEET ORANGES, largest size packed, each.....	5c
3 boxes POTATO CHIPS.....	25c
5 lbs large LUMP STARCH for.....	15c
1-lb pkg large LUMP STARCH.....	4c
1 lb best CORN STARCH, 4 for.....	15c
10c boxes JELLY-CON, all flavors, 2 for 15c; 4 for.....	25c
10c boxes NIX FOR DIRT, like Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 for.....	10c
10c cakes BON AMI or SAPOLIO, 2 for.....	15c
5c large boxes RUB NO MORE, 5 for.....	15c
5c bbls CARPET TACKS, 5 for.....	10c
5c bottles BEST INK, 2 for.....	5c
5c boxes BEST TABLE SALT, 8 for.....	25c
10c boxes BEST TABLE SALT, 3 for.....	20c
18 lbs best GRANULATED SUGAR for.....	\$1.00
Extra choice NEW POTATOES, per bushel.....	\$1.65
ROYAL NO. 10 PASTRY FLOUR, per sack.....	75c
FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR, sack.....	\$1.15
GOLD COIN, highest patent, sack.....	\$1.20
WHITE ROSE, straight patent, per sack.....	\$1.00
MISTLETOE BUTTERINE, per lb.....	20c

MORRELL'S NELSON BRAND BACON, whole piece, per lb.....15c
Less quantity, per lb.....17c

Our best JAPAN TEA, 60c quality, per pound.....38c
Our best GUNPOWDER TEA, 50c quality, per lb.....38c

NEW TURNIPS, per peck.....20c

LAKE FISH, in pails, each, 60c, 75c and.....\$1.00

FAMILY MACKEREL, per pail.....60c

50 doz JOE CAMPBELL'S SOUPS just received. All varieties, 3 cans for 25c; doz.....90c

No. 3 cans SOUR KRAUT, BOILED CABBAGE, EARLY RED BEETS, GOLDEN PUMPKIN, COOKED HOMINY, 3 for 25c; doz.....90c

50 dozen cans GREEN STRING BEANS, No. 1 quality, any amount, per can.....5c

STERILIZED EVAPORATED MILK at cut prices.

VAN CAMP'S FINEST, 6 cans for 25c

PET MILK, small size, 6 cans for 25c

DUNDEE, medium size, per can.....5c

VAN CAMP'S, largest size, 16-oz cans, 3 for.....25c

PET, large 16-oz cans, 3 for.....25c

CARNATION, large 16-oz, 10c; per doz.....\$1.75

NEW 1911 JAMS and JELLIES, by LIBBY. Finest possible quality. To start them going we offer:

Regular 40c size glass jars STRAWBERRY JAM for.....22c

Regular 45c size glass jars RASPBERRY or BLACKBERRY JAM for 24c

PURE FRUIT JELLY, assorted varieties, 3 glasses for.....25c

Size No. 3 (lacquered tins) choicest NEW APPLE BUTTER, worth 25c, on sale Friday at.....15c

5 gallons CROWN GASOLINE for 65c

5 gallons PERFECTION OIL for 35c

5 gallons 20c PALACINE OIL.....65c

Oil and Gasoline will not be delivered at these prices.

We have fine fresh Peaches, Arizona Cantaloupes, Oklahoma Watermelons, New Cabbage, Fine Fresh Tomatoes, New Sweet Potatoes, Fresh Corn, String Beans, Choice New Apples, Cucumbers, Etc., at lowest possible prices.

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

ALDRICH READY TO TESTIFY

Former Senator Will Go on Stand in Lorimer Probe.

WIEHE CHARGES "FRAME UP."

Detective Keely Said to Have Gotten Representative Beckemyer Drunk and Secured Compromising Picture. More Lumbermen on Stand.

Washington, July 20.—Whether the Taft administration wanted Lorimer elected to succeed Hopkins as Illinois' senator and whether former Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, then the Republican senate leader, was the means through which that wish was conveyed to Edward Hines, the lumberman, probably will be developed today.

Mr. Aldrich arrived in Washington and is ready to appear before the Lorimer committee to explain his alleged activities in connection with the Illinois senatorial election.

Mr. Hines has testified that he waited until midnight at the Washington home of Senator Aldrich while the latter, at the White House, talked over the Illinois senatorial deadlock with President Taft. At the conclusion of the conference, Hines said he was told by Mr. Aldrich that the president wanted Lorimer elected.

Mr. Hines has sought to prove that his own energies were directed toward the election of Lorimer as the result of that alleged conference at the White House, and he declared he believed he held the commission of the administration.

Following Mr. Hines' testimony a statement of the president's attitude toward the Illinois election contrary to the impression created by Hines was issued from the White House. The testimony of Mr. Aldrich has been awaited with much interest.

Reynolds Tells of Message.

President Reynolds of the Continental Commercial National bank of Chicago, who was reported to have declined the treasury portfolio in the Taft administration, told the senate Lorimer committee that he knew of Edward Hines delivering an alleged message from the administration at Washington to Governor Deneen to aid Lorimer's election. He recited how Hines on the day of Lorimer's election consulted with him as to who to deliver the message to Deneen.

C. F. Wiehe, secretary of the Edward Hines Lumber company, said that William Burgess of Duluth, Minn., was an "absolute liar" if he testified to what was read as Burgess' testimony. Burgess had said Wiehe told him on the Winnipeg flyer March 7, 1911, that he subscribed \$10,000 to a Lorimer election fund.

Wiehe told the committee he believed there was a "frame up" between Burgess and W. H. Cook. The latter recently testified that Edward Hines telephoned from his room in Chicago the day Lorimer was elected that Hines would be down to Springfield with all the money necessary for Lorimer's election. Wiehe said he believed Cook would perjure himself to injure Hines.

Wiehe denied he ever heard of the "Father Green incident," as Burgess related it. Wiehe, however, recalled a rumor that Detective Keely of the state attorney's office in Chicago complained to Father Green about the work assigned to him in the Lorimer case and that Keely got Representative Beckemyer drunk and that Beckemyer was taken down to the red light district and a compromising photograph shown him when he would not testify as wanted.

Samuel J. Cusson of Virginia, Minn., a stockholder in the Edward Hines Lumber company; John B. Price, a lumberman of Seattle, Wash., and B. A. Johnson, formerly of the American Lumberman of Chicago, told of being on the Winnipeg flyer, but denied having heard the remarks attributed to Wiehe.

BROWN IS WITH PRESIDENT

Senior Senator From Nebraska Speaks in Favor of Reciprocity.

Washington, July 20.—Criticism of his insurgent Republican colleagues in the senate for opposing Canadian reciprocity and praise of the Democratic party for "having the moral courage and patriotism to support and sustain a Republican president" characterized a speech of Senator Brown (Neb.) in favor of the reciprocity measure.

"I want to express my grief, my profound grief," Senator Brown declared, "because the bill does not have the support of some of my friends in this body whom I know at heart are in favor of lower duties. I do not complain of them. I do not charge them with insincerity, because I know them to be sincere. But I simply cannot understand them."

"It is beyond my comprehension to appreciate how in one session of congress I could vote for lower duties. In the next session favor a revision of the tariff a schedule at a time and at a third session be against this proposition, which, while it is not a revision of a single schedule, is a revision of a few schedules, not with all the countries of the world, but with one country; a plan that I believe marks the beginning of the end of extortionate tariff duties of this country."

SAYS FIREBUG TRUST EXISTS

Illinois State Fire Marshal Tells of Arson Conspiracy.

TWO MEMBERS ARE IN JAIL

Doyle Asserts Kansas City Is Headquarters for Country-Wide Organization—Fifteen Men Said to Be Responsible for Scheme.

Chicago, July 20.—That there exists a gigantic, country-wide arson trust, with headquarters in Kansas City and representatives in nearly all the large cities, the members of which have a business of setting fire to buildings to enable the owners to collect large sums of insurance, was the sensational charge made by State Fire Marshal C. J. Doyle in an address delivered before the Chicago Association of Commerce.

"The country is facing one of the most gigantic, organized arson conspiracies the world has ever known," said State Fire Marshal Doyle. "The state fire marshals of Illinois have united with the state fire marshals of Kentucky, Tennessee and Ohio to wipe out the band of fifteen men at the bottom of this arson conspiracy."

"The head of the firebug trust is in Kansas City, from which city the operations of the entire gang is operated. The ten legs of this octopus has extended, as the saying of those behind the plot has grown, into a dozen or more cities. They have been found at work in Bloomington and Springfield, Ill.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Cleveland, New York, Buffalo, St. Louis and other cities."

"Two of the gang have been convicted and are now imprisoned in a southern city. The others will be behind the bars before long if we are successful in following the clues we are now working on."

"The firebug problem is one of the most important which confronts the country. Even without the cases of arson, the fire losses of the country are appalling. The fire loss in this country amounts to about \$500,000,000 a year, while in Boston the annual loss does not exceed \$200,000. We need to adopt the fire protection plans of European cities."

M'PHERSON QUIZZES LEWIS

Federal Judge Wants to Know Where Promoter Got the Money.

St. Louis, July 20.—Judge Smith McPherson of Red Oak, Ia., sitting with Judge Dyer, in the United States circuit court, in the hearing of the Lewis receivership cases, made a painstaking effort by a series of questions to find out where E. G. Lewis got the money he used in promoting his numerous enterprises and what he had done with it.

He fired his categorical inquiries at Attorney Eugene Angert, who was in court as representative of the reorganization syndicate opposing a blanket receivership for all the Lewis companies. Angert confessed that the tangles of Lewis' affairs had been too great a problem for him to solve in the few months he had devoted to the case thus far.

Angert said the People's Savings Trust company now was unable to pay in cash a certificate deposit for \$80,000 held by the University Heights Realty and Development company. He insisted, however, that the trust company was solvent.

REVOLT IN HAITI SPREADS

Indications That Rebels Will Soon Take Capital.

Washington, July 20.—The revolution in Haiti is spreading so rapidly that it is believed here to be doubtful if the capital of the island republic will much longer remain in possession of President Simon.

The political situation steadily is growing worse, according to the commander of the United States gunboat Petrel, now in Haitian waters for the protection of Americans. His report to the navy department indicates that all of the department of the north, except Cape Haitien and Port Liberté, is controlled by the revolutionists. These important ports are threatened, however, as the rebels defeated the government troops July 16 near Cape Haitien. Because of the precarious situation at Gonaves, the second important city of the republic, where the revolutionists are in power, the Petrel sailed for that place.

Two Years for German Duellist.

Berlin, July 20.—Baron Oswald von Richthofen, who killed Wilhelm von Gaffron in a duel near here May 10, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in a fortress. Both men were army officers, Gaffron being on the retired list. The baron is a son of the late secretary of foreign affairs. A quarrel over money matters led to the duel.

Port of Cardiff Closed by Strike.

Cardiff, Wales, July 20.—At a mass meeting of all classes of workers it was resolved to seal up this port until the ship owners recognize the Seamen's union. In pursuance of this decision the coal trimmers and other workers quit and the seamen are refusing to sign even at advanced rates. The business of the port is paralyzed.

FIGHT HAS STARTED

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bill; it no longer bore any resemblance to the measure which came from the hands of his attorney general. Against all the influence of the great railroad corporations of the country, combined with all the power of the administration, the bill which the executive had caused to be drawn and which he strongly recommended was, excepting as to the provision for the commerce court, which was much improved, literally torn to pieces and rewritten on the floor of the senate. As drawn by the attorney general, by direction of the president, the bill contained but four provisions that could be construed as conferring any benefit upon the public. Framed in ambiguous phraseology, it contained twelve provisions written solely in the interests of the railroads, the like of which had never been presented in any legislative body in America. It was the boldest raid upon public rights in the form of legislation that the system had ever found any administration willing to adopt and attempt to foist upon the serious consideration of congress. Never before had it been attempted with the support of a national administration and of party leaders upon the floors of congress to fasten forever upon the commerce of the country the public burden of transportation charges to pay interest and dividends upon all the watered stocks and bonds which unrestrained corporate greed had set afloat in the financial channels of this country.

"Mr. President, against the opposition of reactionary senators upon both sides of this chamber, representing the reactionary administration, progressive Republican and Democratic senators in reconstructing the rate bill in 1910 on this floor rendered the most conspicuous public service to the American public which it has been my privilege to witness since I have been a member of this body. Day by day through that protracted struggle of three months they fought their way to one achievement after another, until a dozen bad provisions had been forced out and nineteen provisions of vital importance to the public interest had been written into the measure, perfecting it for final passage."

"The railway-rate legislation of 1910 was a valuable addition to the Federal legislation for the regulation of interstate commerce. The long contest aroused public sentiment, and it was alert and watchful. The administration could not afford to reject the measure as reconstructed by congress—and to the credit of congress it passed into statute law."

"Three months before he was inaugurated Roosevelt's cabinet seemed certain of being retained by Taft. Three months after he was inaugurated he seemed to have forgotten that there ever had been any well known Roosevelt policies."

"He had no sooner taken his oath of office than he sacrificed the progressive cause for the support of Aldrich and Cannon and their reactionary program."

"Rebuked at the polls in the election of 1910, he foolishly tried to buy back with post-office appointments the support of the progressive in congress, which he had lost when he abandoned progressive policies."

"In the same spirit he is now seeking to regain the lost confidence of the public by cabinet changes, in the hope that the people will forget."

"The president's course has been vacillating and without definite policy because, apparently, there has been throughout his administration no deep conviction other than the hour makes appear expedient."

"The president allied himself with these same interests in the tariff legislation of 1909; with these same interests when he defeated the tax on individual incomes that session; with these same interests when proposed and attempted to force through congress the railway rate bill in 1910; with these same interests in the long and heart-sickening affair in Alaska, the end of which no man knoweth; and with the power greater than all back of these same interests, when he, on June 22, at a meeting of the New York State Bankers' Association,

openly announced his support of the Aldrich-Morgan credit-controlling monopoly of all monopolies.

"Mr. President, I have viewed the record of this administration to no good purpose if I have not made it plain that the great issue for which Roosevelt appealed to the public conscience, for which the progressives have been fighting for years, is not the tariff, not railway regulation, not conservation. It is these; but, O sir, it is more than all these combined. It is for justice, eternal and everlasting justice, for every human being against organized selfishness and power."

"I will have no quarrel with men. I attack no individual. But, sir, no eminence of position in any party or in government shall protect from deserved criticism the bad record of any public servant."

This, dear reader, is not the criticism of a Democrat but the solemn testimony of a great leader in the Republican party.

Mrs. A. P. Bolin and baby daughter were in Maryville Wednesday, the guests of Mrs. Frank Bolin.

Miss Bernice Baker, living north of Maryville, went to Barnard Wednesday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Westfall, as the guest of Miss Mary Westfall.

BASE BALL

RIFFE'S PARK
Friday Afternoon

North End Boys

vs.

South End Boys

Proceeds for benefit of Mothers' Circle and will be used to equip the school playground.

When Feed is High and Scarce

It is essential to save every ounce of Butter Fat from your milk in order to turn to a profit what might otherwise prove a loss. Yes, sir! with a

DeLaval Cream Separator

You can feed your cows hay at \$14.00 per ton and corn at 70c per bushel and make it pay.

The DeLaval Cream Separator

Has no competitor in its class.

Campbell & Clark

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Reduction Sale now on. Opportunity to get first class up-to-date suit at cost.

Headquarters for Olds Gas Engine

You are urged to investigate the merits of the Olds Gas Engine.

We have them from 1½ to 600 horse power and can be used to advantage in almost any kind of work, filling silos, for the cream separator, sheller or grinder, or wood saw. We put a guarantee on every engine that goes out of our place. We solicit your patronage.

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YOU do not need to be a scholar to get the greatest use from this book. Many an uneducated person is now enjoying all the best the world can give with its help.

A bank book will start you on the road to success. Come into this bank today and let us give you one.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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BEDISON.

Much rain is needed, though we had a nice shower Tuesday night.

Threshing is on in full blast south of town. The yield is good, of oats and wheat.

Chas. Roach had a car of stock out for St. Joseph Tuesday and also Wednesday of this week.

Rev. Ward gave us much food for thought at the services last Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabb of Texas have been spending the past week with friends in this vicinity.

Fire, set out by a threshing engine, was discovered and put out just in time to save a heavy loss in Tom Davis' wheat field the first of the week.

All are cordially invited to attend the ice cream social to be given at the church next Saturday evening.

On account of the continued dry weather the danger of fire has put a watchman on day and night looking after the bridges.

Young rabbits make a nice fry now. Several of the boys have caught good strings.

Oran Thompson, Frank Hall and Frank Dick are the latest additions to the joint gang.

All people having land along the railroad will profit by burning or plowing a good fire guard.

Miss Nellie Douglas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gwinn at Maple Place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown and son James spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Meeker.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

GEORGE W. WICKERSHAM.

Attorney General, Who
Declares Way Opened
To Punish Trust Heads.



Photo by American Press Association.

FEDERAL CONTROL FOR CORPORATIONS

Attorney General Favors Commission for This Purpose.

Duluth, Minn., July 20.—Gathered in the spacious banquet hall of the Spaulding hotel the delegates to the Minnesota State Bar association listened to an address by Attorney General George W. Wickersham.

Mr. Wickersham took an advanced stand on the further federal regulation of corporations, and said a government commission to regulate great industrial organizations, in the same way that the interstate commerce commission regulates railways, was certainly most desirable and might be absolutely necessary.

Mr. Wickersham's speech was little short of sensational in many of its features. He declared that it was a matter of serious consideration whether it would be practical to give to the proposed interstate corporations commission the power to fix prices. To do this in the ordinary would simply require an extension of the principle by which the interstate commerce commission controls the rates on railroads.

The law of supply and demand, Mr. Wickersham said, no longer controls prices in the United States. For years, he declared, the prices in all the great staple industries have been fixed by an agreement between the principal producers and not by a normal play of free competition. An interstate commission, the attorney general added, would prevent violations of the anti-trust act and aid business men to maintain a continued status of harmony within the requirements of law.

Many of Mr. Wickersham's declarations were the most radical he has made since his entrance into official life. With the weight of an administration officer behind them, his remarks made a deep impression.

MURDER CHARGES FAIL

Star Witness for Prosecution Admits That He Served Time in Prison.

Chicago, July 20.—State's Attorney Wayman nolle prossed the cases filed against Simon O'Donnell, James Garvin and Thomas Kearney, the Chicago labor leaders indicted for the murder of Vincent Altman, who was shot in the Briggs house bar March 22 as the result of a feud between rival factions of labor unions. The labor chiefs were released from custody immediately after the cases were dismissed.

The action was precipitated by the collapse of the state's case when Frank Pardee of Denver, the prosecution's star witness, admitted on cross examination that he had served time in a penitentiary and had been an inmate of an insane asylum for two years.

Maurice Enright is still under indictment for the murder of Altman and is being held without bail.

Court Clerk Attacks Reporter.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 20.—T. J. Beatty, clerk of the superior court here, was arrested following an assault upon Jack Stevens, a reporter for the Oklahoma City Times. Stevens was beaten into unconsciousness, several ribs being broken. The assault, it is said, was the result of a man's suit brought to compel Beatty to show the papers in a court suit.

France May Recall Ambassador.

Paris, July 20.—The press continues excited over the arrest of M. Boisset, the French consul at Alcazar, by a Spanish patrol and demands that Spain make immediate reparation and apology. The Echo de Paris declares that unless Spain apologizes the French ambassador at Madrid will be recalled.

FOUR WALL PAPER JOBBERS INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury Holds They Violate Anti-Trust Law.

CHARGE RESTRAINT OF TRADE

Refused to Compete With Five and Ten-Cent Stores—Threatened to Boycott Manufacturers If They Turned Down Their Demand.

Cleveland, July 20.—Four indictments were returned by the federal grand jury which has been investigating the alleged wall paper trust. The indictments charge a conspiracy in restraint of trade under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The indicted parties are all officials of wall paper jobbing houses. They are J. B. Pearce, president of the J. B. Pearce Wall Paper company of Cleveland; Norton Newcomb of St. Louis; Edward E. Maxwell of Chicago and C. C. Aler of Columbus, O. Bond was fixed at \$5,000 in each case.

The specific charge against the indicted men is that they met in Cleveland on May 30, 1910, and, after a secret session, notified wall paper manufacturers of the country that if they sold wall paper to five and ten-cent stores the jobbers would boycott them.

The significance of this action, the government alleges, is that the four men constitute the executive committee of the National Association of Wall Paper Jobbers. According to federal officials, over 300 five and ten-cent stores throughout the country were affected by the alleged order of the jobbers.

The indictments follow a grand jury investigation of several weeks' duration. United States District Attorney U. G. Denman and Assistant United States District Attorney Joseph Fogg prosecuted the investigation, acting principally on evidence obtained by Henry M. O'Brien, a government agent.

The government first took up the investigation six months ago on the charge of Frank C. Hall, who operates several five and ten-cent wall paper stores in Pittsburgh, that wall paper manufacturers and jobbers had combined and refused to sell him wall paper.

SMOOT HAS WOOL MEASURE

Utah Man Introduces Substitute for Underwood and La Follette Bills.

Washington, July 20.—Senator Smoot of Utah introduced his wool tariff bill, which is expected to have the support of the Republicans of the senate, if any wool revision is agreed upon. He said his bill was not an "administration measure," but represented his own views of what reduction could be made in the wool tariff without destroying American industries.

Senator Clark of Wyoming asked Senator Smoot if he thought the senate would pass any wool tariff revision bill before it received the report of the tariff board. Mr. Smoot said he hoped not, but that statements made by Republicans in reciprocity debate had convinced him that a majority of the senate favored a wool tariff revision.

He offered his bill as a substitute for the Underwood and La Follette bills.

650,000 Die of Plague.

London, July 20.—According to figures received in this city, the deaths from the plague in India have reached the enormous total of 650,690 for the half year ended on June 30.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, July 19.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, 85½¢; Sept., 87¢. Corn—July, 61½¢; Sept., 62½¢. Oats—July, 41½¢; Sept., 41½¢. Pork—Sept., \$16.00; Jan., \$15.45. Lard—Sept., \$8.22½; Dec., \$8.20. Ribs—July, \$8.45; Sept., \$8.45. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 85¼¢@86¼¢; No. 2 corn, 64¼¢@64½¢; No. 2 oats, 42¢.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, July 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,860; steady; beef steers, \$4.65@6.60; cows and heifers, \$2.65@5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@4.75; bulls, \$3.25@4.75; calves, \$3.25@6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 10,988; closed weak; long strings ranged from \$6.30 to \$6.40 and choice lights made a top of \$6.50; bulk of smooth 200-pound stuff landed around \$6.40@6.45. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; prices ruled firm, Idaho grass wethers selling at \$4.30; strictly choice fat yearlings are quotable up to \$1.85@5.00 and a \$7.00 limit would probably stop prime lambs.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 19.—Cattle—Receipts 20,000; 10c off; heaves, \$4.70@6.80; western steers, \$4.00@5.85; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.15; cows and heifers, \$2.10@5.75; calves, \$5.00@7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; strong to 5c up; light, \$6.50@7.00; mixed, \$6.50@7.00; heavy, \$6.25@6.95; pigs, \$5.65@6.55; bulk, \$6.60@6.85. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; steady; natives, \$2.60@4.75; westerns, \$3.00@4.80; yearlings, \$4.40@5.65; lambs, \$4.00@7.35.

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Visiting Her Husband.

Mrs. Dean Norris went to Barnard Wednesday evening to spend a few days with her husband, who is employed with his father, J. P. Norris, in papering and painting one of the churches at Barnard. She will be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Dane, while there.

Mrs. Joseph Dobbins of Arkoe was in Maryville shopping Wednesday.

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THE VARIOUS RATES

THE WATER COMPANY HAS WANTED FROM TIME TO TIME.

SIX YEARS AGO 25 CENTS

For 1,000 Gallons and Now They Are Wanting 50 Cents—Bond Issue to Be Submitted.

Since many of our citizens are talking about the water problem and the unreasonableness of the new rate the City Water company wants, it might be well to give the old rate under their franchise, which expired six or seven years ago, and also various rates they have wanted from time to time.

Under the old franchise the rate was 25 cents per 1,000 gallons, with no minimum rate, we understand.

April 5, 1906, a water franchise for twenty years was voted on with a 25-cent rate for 1,000 gallons and a minimum rate of 25 cents, which was defeated by a vote of 344 for and 350 against. The water company stated in the newspapers at that time that they would not accept the franchise if it did carry, and this probably had a great deal to do in the franchise being defeated.

Then in 1908, the utility commission that was appointed by Mayor Robinson recommended a rate of 33-1-3 cents per 1,000 gallons and a minimum rate of 50 cents. The report of the commission was adopted by the council and has since been the rates of the water company.

Now the City Water company wants a franchise for twenty years for 50 cents for 1,000 gallons, with a minimum rate of 75 cents, or twice as much as they were getting six or seven years ago. The reason given for the increase, as has been stated, is that the company intends to make \$45,000 worth of improvements. That many of the proposed improvements will save the company considerable operating expenses and do more work is the opinion of a number of the citizens here, and the increased rate should not be asked if the new improvements will save in operating expenses.

The ordinance calling for an election to vote on the proposition of issuing \$100,000 in bonds for the purpose of installing a plant is being prepared and will be presented to the council Friday evening at their regular meeting. It is thought that the council will adopt the ordinance and then submit it to the people.

There is no change in the water situation today. Several laborers are working up the river digging ditches to get the water down, and the dam is being fixed.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Wedding at Baptist Parsonage.

Miss Helen H. Weddle of Elmo and Mr. Floyd J. Blackford of Clearmont were united in marriage at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the First Baptist church at his home, on West Third street. Those who witnessed the ceremony were Mrs. Anna Reece of Elmo, a sister of the bride, Mrs. Lee Harrel and

Mr. Will J. Montgomery of this city. The wedding party was conveyed to and from the minister's home by Mr. Montgomery in his automobile. Mr. Blackford is a young farmer living five miles north of Clearmont and is a son of Judge W. M. Blackford. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Weddle of Elmo. Both are highly favored young people.

Rebekah Lodge Social at Wilcox.

The Rebekahs of Wilcox will give an apron and necktie social Saturday night, July 22d, to which everybody is invited. Ice cream and cake will be served and a good social time is assured.

For Platte County Guests.

Mrs. Louis Tebow and her mother, Mrs. M. McComas entertained at dinner Thursday at the country home of Mrs. Tebow, east of the city, Mrs. Leonard Epperson and daughter, Miss Anna Maude; Mrs. F. M. Dick and Miss Lula McComas of Edgerton, Mo. The afternoon was spent in social amusements.

For Guest from Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson entertained about fifty-five guests Wednesday night at their beautiful country home in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood, in honor of Mrs. Anderson's sister, Miss Mabel Hopkinson, a deaconess from Des Moines, Ia. A musical program was rendered. The evening was spent in a social manner. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Entertained Royal Workers.

Mrs. Henry Smock entertained Wednesday for Mrs. Smock's Sunday school class, the "Royal Workers," at her country home, three and one-half miles northeast of Maryville, in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood. The class consists of ten boys and eight girls. Other guests beside the class were Mrs. John Anderson and her sister, Miss Mabel Hopkinson of Des Moines, Ia., and Rev. J. H. Thompson of Barnard. An impromptu program was given and refreshments served. Mrs. Smock had for dinner guests Thursday Mrs. John Hantz of Colome, S. D., and Mrs. W. W. Marsh of the Mt. Ayr neighborhood.

Fishing Party.

A merry crowd of young folks spent the day fishing at Harman's grove, east of Pickering, Tuesday. About 12 o'clock a bountiful dinner was served and the rest of the evening was spent in fishing and other enjoyments. They returned home at a rather late hour with about forty pounds of fish. Those present were Mabel Jenkins, Leatha Patterson, Edna Garrett, Mildred Stafford, Bernice Baker, Edith Patterson, Verda Garrett, Florence Lawson, Lydia Onstott, Mabel Clayton, Robert Onstott, George Patterson, Ray McDowell, Cleo Mitchell, Glen Patterson, Myron Baker, Ernest Stafford, Robert Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. John Griffey, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Patterson.

Visitors from Clyde.

Miss Marguerite Enis of Clyde and her sister, Miss Victoria Enis of Omaha, were in Maryville shopping and calling on friends Thursday. They were accompanied by their nephew, Master Eugene Enis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Enis. Miss Victoria Enis is on a vacation visit to her brothers and sisters in Clyde. She is employed in the Brandeis department store in Omaha.

Visitors from Oklahoma City.

Miss Margaret Gallagher and Miss Lucilla Welch of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in Maryville Wednesday night on a visit to their grandfather, Owen Murrin, and uncle, John Murrin, and family.

Miss Marie Estelle Lippman went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to spend the day with Mrs. Zella Mullin.

Mrs. Bert Wray and daughter, Miss Clara, went to Kansas City Thursday morning for a two weeks' stay.

Mrs. Moses Johnson and daughter, Miss Ella, of Stanberry, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Johnson and two children of Walthall, Neb., were in Maryville Thursday morning on their way to Barnard to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Goff.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Airy and little daughter left Thursday morning for their home in Okmulgee, Okla., after a two weeks' visit with Mr. Airy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Airy, and brother, Emery Airy, and Mrs. Airy.

Mrs. W. P. Stuckle of Clyde spent Thursday in Maryville, the guest of her brother, Aaron Felix, and family.

RESULTS OF THE MINK LEAGUE GAMES

Mink League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Falls City	32	21	.604
Auburn	30	24	.556
Shenandoah	28	26	.519
Humboldt	25	29	.463
Clarinda	25	30	.455
Nebraska City	22	32	.407

Falls City, Neb., July 20.—Falls City made it three straight yesterday from Shenandoah. Score:

R.H.E.			
Falls City	4	0	0
Shenandoah	0	0	0
Batteries—Finch and Vanderhill; Duran and Castle. Umpire—Myers.			
Humboldt, Neb., July 20.—Everett held Nebraska City to four hits yesterday and shut them out. Score:			

R.H.E.			
Humboldt	0	0	0
Nebraska City	0	0	0
Batteries—Everett and Dietz; Willford and Herman. Umpire—Kratsberg.			

Auburn, Neb., July 20.—Auburn took another game from Clarinda yesterday, making it three in a row. Score:

R.H.E.			
Auburn	0	0	1
Clarinda	0	0	0
Batteries—Hirsch and Kraninger; Smithson and Harmony. Umpire—Kissane.			

WILL HAVE COTTAGE AT LAC DU FLAMBEAU

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae Corwin, will leave Friday noon for the lakes of northern Wisconsin. When they arrive in Chicago they will be met by Miss Madge Boy of Kansas City, who will accompany them to Lake Lac du Flambeau, where the Corwins have leased a summer cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Corwin will return about the first of August, when Miss Corwin and Miss Boyd will be joined by Miss Mildred Yoder of Herrington, Kan., and Miss Edith Gary and her mother of Warrensburg, Mo., and the entire party will remain about two months.

Miss Corwin and Miss Gary are Missouri state university girls and Miss Boyd and Miss Yoder are Kansas state university girls. Miss Boyd visited in Maryville last summer as the guest of Miss Corwin and Miss Donna Sison.

MISS EDNA RANDALL'S FATHER IS DEAD

Miss Edna M. Anthony received a telegram Thursday morning from Miss Olive Edna Randall, at Mt. Vernon, Ia., stating that her father died at his home there at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. Miss Randall, formerly a member of the Northwest Normal faculty, is spending the vacation months at her parents' home.

Another former member of the Normal faculty, Professor Frank Zimmerman, has been bereaved of his family.

They since the close of the Normal in

FOUNTAIN WILL BE HERE IN A FEW DAYS

The animal drinking fountain donated by the National Humane alliance will arrive in the city in a few days as it was shipped from Rockland, Maine, on July 14, according to word received by Mayor Robey this morning. No location has, as yet, been selected for the fountain.

In Hospital at Spokane.

Mrs. H. O. Swinford, who left Maryville the 20th of June in company with her little daughter, Helen, for their home in Spokane, Wash., after a two months' visit with Mr. Swinford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swinford of East Second street, is in a hospital at Spokane where she was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago. She will soon be fully recovered.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to Lloyd J. Blackford of Clearmont and Helen H. Weddle of Elmo.

Mrs. Fred Monroe of Hopkins spent Wednesday evening in Maryville.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

FIGHT HAS STARTED

DECLARATION THAT PARTY POSITION WILL NOT PROTECT.

LA FOLLETTE AFTER TAFT

A Word Picture of Administrative Perfidy to the Progressives' Cause by Wisconsin Senator.

By VAN CLEVE.

Washington, D. C., July 15.—Continuing his respects to the president, Senator La Follette, in his speech delivered in the United States senate the other day, said:

"In his acceptance speech, Mr. Taft gave the public distinctly to understand that he favored an income tax. Criticizing the Democratic platform, because it recommended a constitutional amendment providing for an income tax, he said:

"In my judgment, an amendment to the constitution for an income tax is not necessary. I believe that an income tax * * * can and should be devised which, under the decisions of the supreme court, will conform to the constitution."

"He was not talking about a corporation tax, but an income tax as commonly understood, the very income tax pledge in the Democratic platform. He realized that the income tax was popular as a campaign issue, and he led the public to believe that he had a plan through which the tax upon incomes could be levied directly through legislation without waiting for the long delay and uncertainty incident to amending the constitution, as proposed in the Democratic platform.

"He well understood that the people very generally favor a tax upon the individual incomes of the rich, and his suggestion of the possibility of accomplishing this at once through legislation placed him in a position of great advantage on this issue.

"In other words, the voter had a right to believe that Taft the lawyer, the judge, was strongly in favor of the income tax and had in mind a feasible plan for the enactment of a constitutional law taxing the individual incomes of the enormously rich, and that by voting for the Republican candidate the country would have the benefit of such a tax as soon as congress could convene and enact the Taft plan into law.

"Mark, now, how completely the voter was misled.

"Mr. Taft was ejected. The tariff bill came to the senate. The opportunity was offered to add an amendment to tax individual incomes and resubmit this important question to the supreme court, which had decided against such an income tax by only one majority.

"Senator Cummins proposed an amendment providing for a tax on individual incomes of \$5,000 and over. Senator Bailey proposed another. The two were combined, and votes enough pledged to insure the adoption of the amendment. The proposition to tax individual incomes was so strong with the country that Mr. Aldrich, bitterly opposed to it as he was, could not hold all of his followers in line.

"Senators Borah and Cummins had discussed the matter fully with the president. They were assured of the president's sympathy with the amendment, and all progressive senators, remembering his campaign declaration on this subject, believed that he could be relied upon to stand just where he stood in the campaign.

"At least it seemed certain that the enormous wealth in the hands of individuals hitherto, escaping taxation would be compelled to pay its just share in support of government.

"And then just when the people seemed assured of winning a great victory, the senator from Rhode Island, Mr. Aldrich, without a moment's warning sprung his plan to 'tax corporations' as a substitute for the Cummins-Bailey income tax amendment, and to the utter amazement of the progressives, who had been in conference with and supposed they had the support of the executive, the Aldrich scheme to substitute the 'corporation tax' received the endorsement and approval by a special message of the president of the United States.

"A tax on corporations? It was indeed an artful dodge. 'Make the corporations pay.' The soulless corporations which had so long exacted excessive profits from the people were at last to be compelled to turn over some of their surplus wealth to support the government.

"Stand-pat senators with elections pending, who were timid about voting

against the income tax, seized upon this opportunity to kill the amendment taxing individual incomes by supporting as a substitute a measure with such a fair sounding title as a 'tax upon corporations.' It would be so easy for one when charged with aiding in the defeat of the income tax to answer: 'Yes, but I voted to tax the big corporations instead.'

"These senators knew that Aldrich and the president knew—that every corporation would add the corporation tax to the fixed charges of the business and exact from the public, through increased rates and prices, every dollar paid as a tax to the government. Tax corporations indeed! It was an added tax upon the people. It was a tax which the corporations could and did shift to their customers—the public. It was a fit amendment to come from the senator from Rhode Island. He was always frank and open in support of measures of like character, but what shall be said of the president of the United States, who, in the campaign, has given the voters of this country to understand that he would favor an income tax upon the great wealth of individuals—a tax which once levied upon the individual, after he had received his dividends from Standard Oil, United States steel and railroad bonds and stocks, could not then be shifted to the public?

"It was, sir, a suitable provision to be coupled with the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. It harmonized with its whole plan. It increased the burdens upon the people. It added betrayal to betrayal.

"In all the record of this administration no more glaring example is presented of the complete surrender to special interests and the complete reversal of Roosevelt's progressive policies than that shown in dealing with the amendments to the interstate commerce act. Under the guise of fulfilling party platform promises for the control of over-capitalization, a bill amending the interstate commerce act was drafted in the department of justice with the aid of Wall street attorneys, expert in all the schemes of railroad finance, and made the subject of a special executive message.

"I wish it were possible to acquaint the president of any knowledge of the real character of the administration bill for the amendment of the interstate and anti-trust laws, as drafted by the attorney general, for nothing is more damaging in the record of this administration; but the president not only assumed the full responsibility for the bill as drafted, but made it clear by special message submitted to congress on the 7th day of January, 1910, that he was well acquainted with all of its provisions, and recommended its enactment into law. He said in that message, after discussing the provisions of the measure in detail:

"By my direction the attorney general has drafted a bill to carry out these recommendations."

"Mr. President, it would have been difficult to have framed a piece of legislation affecting interstate commerce more harmful to the public interest than this bill, drafted by the attorney general and recommended to congress by President Taft.

"It is fair to say that the bill contained some provisions in the public interest; but they were barely sufficient to veil thinly the true purpose of the measure.

"Much credit has been claimed for the administration because the bill, as finally passed, greatly strengthened the interstate commerce law. But, sir, it is time to vindicate the truth. It is time that the country should understand. It will help us to weigh at their true value the recommendations of the executive on the pending legislation if we review in this connection the record of the administration wherever the interests of privilege are in conflict with the interests of the public.

"As President Taft's railroad bill was presented to the senate it covered forty-four pages. It was entitled 'A bill to create a court of commerce.' It was especially heralded as a bill to prevent stock watering and over-capitalization. Like the so-called reciprocity bill, it was a sham and was set before the country under false pretenses and with a false title. The court of commerce provision was little more than a mask, behind which, concealed in obscure and devious language, linked the sinister purposes of the measure. For twelve long weeks in this chamber progressive Republican senators and progressive Democratic senators made war upon the provisions of that bill, which were hostile to the public interest. Through their efforts the bill was reconstructed in the face of strong opposition and continued criticism from the White House. As it was finally enacted it was no longer the president's (Continued on page three.)

CANTATA AT NORMAL

"FAIR ELLEN," A TALE OF OLD SCOTCH WARFARE.

WILL BE GIVEN TUESDAY

Prof. Landon and Miss Marie Jones Will Sing Solo Parts—Debate Will Also Be Given.

On next Tuesday night, July 25, under the direction of Prof. P. O. Landon, the Normal Glee club will give, in the chapel of the Normal building, the cantata, "Fair Ellen." There will be no admission fee charged, and everybody is requested to come, as it will be the first entertainment given in the new chapel, which is now complete, except for a few minor furnishings. It is the largest hall in the city for entertainments, and is furnished with some eighteen hundred opera chairs of a very comfortable design. The stage is the largest one in town and gives ample room for entertainments, such as will be given Tuesday night. The trussed ceiling and the lighting fixtures are other very attractive features of the chapel. Eight large chandeliers hang from the beams in the ceiling by chains. To the chains are attached large inverted brass domes, from each one of which hangs a cluster of seven lights.

The cantata, "Fair Ellen," is written by Max Bruch, and is a tale of old Scotch warfare.

Fair Ellen, Lord Edward and party are besieged by foes in a castle, and are on the verge of starvation when they are rescued by the clan of Campbell. A suggestion of the music of "The Campbells Are Coming" is used as a motif throughout the cantata.

The solo parts will be sung by Prof. Landon and Miss Marie Jones. Prof. Landon has been drilling the glee club on the chorus work since the opening of the summer term, and he expects to make this the greatest musical entertainment ever given by the Normal.

In addition to the cantata will be given a literary program of a half an hour, consisting of a debate. The question for discussion is: Resolved, that foreign immigration should be further restricted by law. The speaker for the affirmative will be Egbert Jennings, and for the negative J. F. Taylor.

SENATOR GORE SURE TO BE AT CHAUTAUQUA

In speaking of the Chautauqua, Prof. P. O. Landon said that there would be no doubt about Senator Gore being here, as congress is to adjourn on the 7th of August, and Senator Gore does not speak here until the 19th.

Mrs. Edward Orear went to Kansas City Thursday morning to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Unmuthum.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Cottrill, living south of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to visit Mrs. Cottrill's sister, Mrs. John Hawley.

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The Weather

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WILCOX.

John Colden reached home Wednesday morning, after an extended trip through Illinois and Indiana.

The Misses Cain spent last Sunday with Mrs. Belle Hall.

A. G. Mounts was in Maryville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Charley Polley entertained her mother, from Maryville, one day recently.

The Rebekah ladies met Thursday morning and cleaned the hall.

Mrs. Ella Wagner entertained her cousin from Clarinda, Ia., one day last week.

Mrs. Nina Thomas Dobson left Thursday for St. Joseph, where she will make her home.

Charles Colden was out from Maryville Wednesday, and returned in the evening.

Rev. Walton came in from Elmo Wednesday, where he has spent the past few weeks.

Mrs. Letha Patterson returned home Wednesday, after a visit with her grandparents.

Jesse Onstott is visiting home folks at present.

Mr. Taylor, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Hainline, and

family, left for Maryville Wednesday. Mr. Taylor is contemplating a trip west, so we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vert were out from Maryville Thursday. We are all glad to know that they have not forgotten Wilcox.

So many of our good people have been out on fishing trips we are unable to name them all, so will simply state that a number of good catches have been reported.

Okie Huff left Friday for Pattonburg, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Charles Yates. She will return within about ten days and will again be with Grandma Ferguson, where she has made her home for nearly a year.

Mrs. M. A. Smith, son Emmett and little daughter, Fredia, were shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Rev. Walton preached at the Christian church here Sunday, both morning and evening, with a fair attendance. We regret to state that so far as is known at present Rev. Walton will not be here again.

We suppose "you all" will be at the necktie and apron social Friday night at this place. Ice cream served on the lawn we believe is the intention of the ladies of the lodge.

F. E. Saltzman came down from Grand Island, Neb., this week to join his wife, who has been visiting her parents here for some time. He was in St. Joseph on business recently.

Wesley Chapel will cross bats with the Wilcox boys at Haller park Sunday, July 23. This will no doubt be the best game of the season, and all rooters interested in the welfare of the Chapel team will please come forward.

TONIGHT—Fern theater. High class musical comedy company. Two photo plays. A guaranteed attraction. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

Master Paul Miller, son of Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller, returned Wednesday evening from a several days' visit in Hopkins with the family of his uncle, Dr. Ed Miller.

Miss Anice Ingerson went to Stanberry Thursday to visit Miss Pearl Tibbets and other relatives.

Andy Chris Cummins went to Conception Junction Thursday.

Miss Alma Handley went to Ford City Thursday to spend a few days with home folks.

John Woods and daughter, Miss Clara, of Clyde, were shopping in town Thursday.

Frank Cummins went to Clyde Thursday, where he will spend two weeks on the farm of his father, T. A. Cummins, which is occupied by Joseph Leigh.

Miss Marguerite Cummins went to Darlington Thursday to spend two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Garten.

Lawrence Cummins of Worth, Mo., is on his vacation visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cummins.

Judge Shambargar of Hughes township was in the city Thursday.

Miss Anna Byrnes of Lamar, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Aaron Felix.

Mrs. Solomon Clark of Pickering is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Williams.

Mrs. William Rutherford of Pickering spent Thursday with her son, H. L. Rutherford, and family.

Mrs. R. W. Harrison and her mother, Mrs. E. W. Green of Stanberry were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carden of Quitman were in Maryville Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lewis.

Miss Ruby Townsend and Miss Esther Townsend of Stockton, Ill., arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Townsend, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hooker.

Miss Mary Q. Evans returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit with friends in Des Moines and Marshalltown, Ia.

Mrs. Flora Rogers and little son went to St. Joseph Wednesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Raymond Atchison.

Mrs. James Duffy and little son, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Otis, the past three weeks, returned to their home in Kansas City Wednesday evening.

TONIGHT—Fern theater. High class musical comedy company. Two photo plays. A guaranteed attraction. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

WANTED—A good second-hand trunk. Bell phone 387. 20-22

A GRASSHOPPER PEST THREATENS

Grasshoppers are attacking the drought parched corn of Northwest Missouri and threaten to take what the dry weather leaves. Sam Jordan, corn expert in the employ of the State Board of Agriculture at Columbia, issued this statement on the situation Wednesday, with direction for fighting the hopper pest:

"A letter from Skidmore today says that the air was thick with hoppers yesterday between ten o'clock in the morning and noon, but that the pest is less than last week. The hoppers seem to be going southeast and have stripped many corn fields taking the blades and tassels. The correspondents in that section say rain has to come at once or corn is a failure.

"As to fighting grass hoppers trapping is sometimes used with considerable success. A float on which is placed a shallow pan with kerosene in it, is constructed with a woven wire shield at the rear of the pan, and the apparatus driven across the meadows, pastures, or wherever the pest is present and crops do not interfere with driving across. The hoppers jump onto the float, strike the screen wire shield, fall into the kerosene and hop off, but everyone that touches the kerosene quickly dies. In the fall when they lay their eggs, late fall plowing is recommended."

LINE-UP FOR THE BALL GAME FRIDAY

The tickets are selling fast for the fast game of ball that is to be played Friday afternoon at Riffe's park, between the North end and South end Maryville boys for the benefit of the Mothers' Circle. The game will be called at 3 o'clock. Following is the line-up:

South end—Francis Cummins, second base; Francis McDougal, first base; Berney Harris, Jr., catcher; Byron Costello, third base; Robert Harris, shortstop; Dewey Covey, center field; B. E. Condon, left field; Irwin Harris, pitcher; Frank Cook, right field; Paul Pickens, Will Hutchison, George Lee Fleming, Emmett Bartram, substitutes.

North end—Paul Buhler, second base; E. Hawkins, first base; Perry Culver, catcher; D. Hagin, third base; H. Tilson, shortstop; T. Redfield, center field; Claude Glass, left field; H. Buhler, pitcher; Forrest Gillam, right field; Joe Kemp, Tunc Wiles, substitutes.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB TO MEET TONIGHT

The Maryville automobile club will meet this evening at Normal park to take up matters of organization and to plan for a sociability tour. The officers of the club met last evening and prepared the by-laws for the club, which will be acted upon tonight.

On Visit to College Mate.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon left Thursday for Chillicothe, Mo., to spend a week with Miss Maud Petty. Miss Sheldon and Miss Petty were roommates at Howard-Payne college, at Fayette.

Mayor Doulin in Town.

Mayor Charles E. Doulin of Hopkins was a business visitor in Maryville Thursday.

J. B. Luton of St. Joseph, who has been spending a few days in Maryville with his family, at the home of Mrs. Luton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Beirn, went to Conway, Ia., Thursday to visit his parents. Mr. Luton has charge of the traffic department of the Battrell Shoe company of St. Joseph.

Mrs. H. K. Taylor and daughters, Miss Emma Lee Taylor and Miss Hattie Mae Taylor, returned to Maryville Wednesday night from a several weeks' stay in Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. T. J. Tobin and daughters, Katharine and Irene, of Burlington Junction came to Maryville Thursday for a two days' visit with her mother, Mrs. John Vaughn.

Little Miss Miriam Sanders accompanied her guest, Miss Ruth O'Malley, to her home in Albany Thursday. She will return home Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Vance of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in the city Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott of South Depot street.

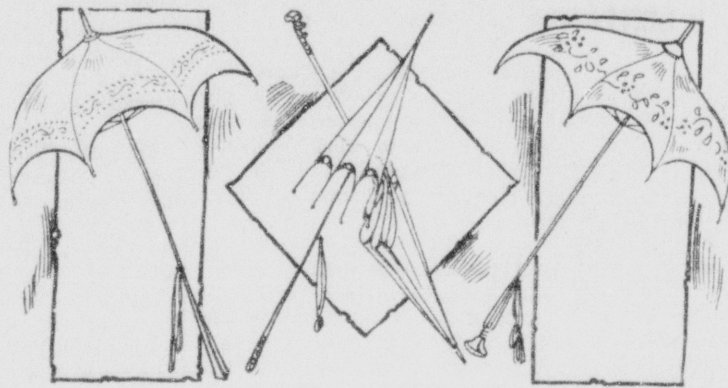
Mrs. Dr. Dodds of Bolckow arrived in the city Thursday to visit Mrs. Helen Hopkins and other relatives.

Mrs. Sarah Hewitt and son of Pickering left Thursday for Knoxville, Ia., to visit her brother, Clifton Hewitt.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

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JULY CLEARANCE SALE



Women's Parasols

The Balance of Our Stock at Exactly Half Price.

Umbrellas in the regular conservative styles or in the approved dome or Japanese shapes. Even at the present time there is a nice assortment of colors to choose from. The handles are of beautiful woods carved in modish shapes. Marked in plain figures—wait on yourself—pay us just

half-price

UMBRELLAS

Men's and Women's umbrellas, all qualities, in the July Clearance Sale for a fifth off

Stylish Petticoats

All-Silk, Heatherbloom and Gingham Petticoats

Silk petticoats, heatherbloom and imitation heatherbloom petticoats, and seersucker and zephyr gingham petticoats have been given great reductions in the Clearance Sale. It's economy to buy now for future needs.

The prices—

Silk Petticoats

\$10.00 grades for \$6.50
\$8.75 and \$7.50 for \$5.25
\$5.00 grades for \$3.75

Heatherbloom Petticoats

\$4.00 grades for \$2.50
\$3.75 grades for \$2.25
\$2.50 grades for \$2.00
\$2.00 grades for \$1.50

Imitation Heatherbloom

\$1.50 grades for 98c
85c and 75c for 69c

Gingham Petticoats

\$1.50 grades for \$1.19
\$1.25 grades for 98c
85c and 75c for 69c
69c grades for 50c
50c grades for 39c

(Suit Section)

Fine Handkerchiefs

Remarkable reductions on women's high-grade handkerchiefs during the Clearing Sale. Made of sheer linen; best quality. Embroidered in pleasing designs or daintily hemstitched. Near to half-price.

\$1.25 values for 75c
\$1.00 values for 60c
75c values for 50c

All other handkerchiefs reduced.



Veilings

Veilings in all grades and in all meshes will be reduced this way.

25c values for 19c
35c values for 25c
50c values for 39c
75c values for 50c

Switches

Switches made of real human hair are reduced as follows.

\$7.50 grades for \$4.75
\$6.00 grades for \$3.50

Union Suits

Children's durable and long wearing union suits are marked to sell in the Clearing Sale for,

69c union suits, ages 12 to 16 years, summer weight, for 48c
50c union suits, ages 2 to 10 years, summer weight, for 39c.
25c union suits for 19c

Jewelry

Our large stock of Jewelry will be offered during the Clearance Sale for 1-4 off

Bed Spread Clearing

Offering Greater Values Than are Ordinarily Found

All styles of bed spreads are reduced—plain, fringed, scalloped, with or without cut corners. The reductions are,

Bed spreads worth \$5, \$4 and \$3.50, for \$2.95
Bed spreads worth \$3, \$2.50 and \$2.25, for \$1.95
Bed spreads worth \$1.75, for \$1.29

Bleached and Unbleached Crashes

20c grades for 17c 18c grades for 15c 15c grades for 13c
12 1/2c grades for 10c 10c grades for 9c

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision—also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL
AND SEE WELL
IF YOU HAVE THEM
FITTED AT

Raines Brothers
Opticians

109 West Third Street.

Bargain Day at Townsend's Friday

Our prices cannot be equalled elsewhere.

29c boxes MULE TEAM BORAX...10c
10c boxes MULE TEAM BORAX...5c
25c boxes POSTUM...19c
25c boxes UNCLE SAM BREAKFAST FOOD...20c
40c quality SOUR PICKLES, gal...25c
CALIFORNIA SWEET ORANGES, good size, doz...25c
CALIFORNIA SWEET ORANGES, largest size packed, each...5c
3 boxes POTATO CHIPS...25c
5 lbs large LUMP STARCH for...15c
1-lb pkg large LUMP STARCH...4c
1 lb best CORN STARCH, 4 for...15c
10c boxes JELLY-CON, all flavors, 2 for 15c; 4 for...25c
10c boxes NIX FOR DIRT, like Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 for...10c
10c cakes BON AMI or SAPOLIO, 2 for...15c
5c large boxes RUB NO MORE, 5 for...5c
5c bbls CARPET TACKS, 5 for...10c
5c bottles BEST INK, 2 for...5c
5c boxes BEST TABLE SALT, 8 for...25c
10c boxes BEST TABLE SALT, 3 for...20c
18 lbs best GRANULATED SUGAR for...\$1.00
Extra choice NEW POTATOES, per bushel...\$1.65
ROYAL NO. 10 PASTRY FLOUR, per sack...75c
FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR, sack...\$1.15
GOLD COIN, highest patent, sack...\$1.20
WHITE ROSE, straight patent, per sack...\$1.00
MISTLETOE BUTTERINE, per lb 20c

MORRELL'S NELSON BRAND BACON, whole piece, per lb...15c
Less quantity, per lb...17c

Our best JAPAN TEA, 60c quality, per pound...35c
Our best GUNPOWDER TEA, 50c quality, per lb...35c
NEW TURNIPS, per peck...20c
LAKE FISH, in pails, each, 60c, 75c and...\$1.00
FAMILY MACKEREL, per pail...60c
50 doz JOE CAMPBELL'S SOUPS just received. All varieties, 3 cans for 25c; doz...90c
No. 3 cans SOUR KRAUT, BOILED CABBAGE, EARLY RED BEETS, GOLDEN PUMPKIN, COOKED HOMINY, 3 for 25c; doz...90c

50 dozen cans GREEN STRING BEANS, No. 1 quality, any amount, per can...5c

STERILIZED EVAPORATED MILK at cut prices.
VAN CAMP'S FINEST, 6 cans for 25c
PET MILK, small size, 6 cans for 25c
DUNDEE, medium size, per can...5c
VAN CAMP'S, largest size, 16-oz cans, 3 for...25c
PET, large 16-oz cans, 3 for...25c
CARNATION, large 16-oz, 10c; per doz...\$1.75
NEW 1911 JAMS and JELLIES, by LIBBY. Finest possible quality. To start them going we offer:

Regular 40c size glass jars STRAWBERRY JAM for...22c
Regular 45c size glass jars RASPBERRY or BLACKBERRY JAM for 24c
PURE FRUIT JELLY, assorted varieties, 3 glasses for...25c

Size No. 3 (lacquered tins) choicest NEW APPLE BUTTER, worth 25c, on sale Friday at...15c

5 gallons CROWN GASOLINE for 65c
5 gallons PERFECTION OIL for 35c
5 gallons 20c PALACINE OIL...65c
Oil and Gasoline will not be delivered at these prices.

We have fine fresh Peaches, Arizona Cantaloupes, Oklahoma Watermelons, New Cabbage, Fine Fresh Tomatoes, New Sweet Potatoes, Fresh Corn, String Beans, Choice New Apples, Cucumbers, Etc., at lowest possible prices.

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

ALDRICH READY TO TESTIFY

Former Senator Will Go on Stand in Lorimer Probe.

WIEHE CHARGES "FRAME UP."

Detective Keely Said to Have Gotten Representative Beckemyer Drunk and Secured Compromising Picture. More Lumbermen on Stand.

Washington, July 20.—Whether the Taft administration wanted Lorimer elected to succeed Hopkins as Illinois senator and whether former Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, then the Republican senate leader, was the means through which that wish was conveyed to Edward Hines, the lumberman, probably will be developed today.

Mr. Aldrich arrived in Washington and is ready to appear before the Lorimer committee to explain his alleged activities in connection with the Illinois senatorial election.

Mr. Hines has testified that he waited until midnight at the Washington home of Senator Aldrich while the latter, at the White House, talked over the Illinois senatorial deadlock with President Taft. At the conclusion of the conference, Hines said he was told by Mr. Aldrich that the president wanted Lorimer elected.

Mr. Hines has sought to prove that his own energies were directed toward the election of Lorimer as the result of that alleged conference at the White House, and he declared he believed he held the commission of the administration.

Following Mr. Hines' testimony a statement of the president's attitude toward the Illinois election contrary to the impression created by Hines was issued from the White House. The testimony of Mr. Aldrich has been awaited with much interest.

Reynolds Tells of Message.

President Reynolds of the Continental Commercial National bank of Chicago, who was reported to have declined the treasury portfolio in the Taft administration, told the senate Lorimer committee that he knew of Edward Hines delivering an alleged message from the administration at Washington to Governor Deneen to aid Lorimer's election. He recited how Hines consulted with him as to who to deliver the message to Deneen.

C. F. Wiehe, secretary of the Edward Hines Lumber company, said that William Burgess of Duluth, Minn., was an "absolute liar" if he testified to what was read as Burgess' testimony. Burgess had said Wiehe told him on the Winnipeg flyer March 7, 1911, that he subscribed \$10,000 to a Lorimer election fund.

Wiehe told the committee he believed there was a "frame up" between Burgess and W. H. Cook. The latter recently testified that Edward Hines telephoned from his room in Chicago the day Lorimer was elected that Hines would be down to Springfield with all the money necessary for Lorimer's election. Wiehe said he believed Cook would perjure himself to injure Hines.

Wiehe denied he ever heard of the "Father Green incident," as Burgess related it. Wiehe, however, recalled a rumor that Detective Keely of the state attorney's office in Chicago complained to Father Green about the work assigned to him in the Lorimer case and that Keely got Representative Beckemyer drunk and that Beckemyer was taken down to the red light district and a compromising photograph shown him when he would not testify as wanted.

Samuel J. Cusson of Virginia, Minn., a stockholder in the Edward Hines Lumber company; John B. Price, a lumberman of Seattle, Wash., and B. A. Johnson, formerly of the American Lumberman of Chicago, told of being on the Winnipeg flyer, but denied having heard the remarks attributed to Wiehe.

BROWN IS WITH PRESIDENT

Senior Senator From Nebraska Speaks in Favor of Reciprocity.

Washington, July 20.—Criticism of his insurgent Republican colleagues in the senate for opposing Canadian reciprocity and praise of the Democratic party for "having the moral courage and patriotism to support and sustain a Republican president" characterized a speech of Senator Brown (Neb.) in favor of the reciprocity measure.

"I want to express my grief, my profound grief," Senator Brown declared, "because the bill does not have the support of some of my friends in this body whom I know at heart are in favor of lower duties. I do not charge them with insincerity, because I know them to be sincere. But I simply cannot understand them."

"It is beyond my comprehension to appreciate how in one session of congress I could vote for lower duties. In the next session favor a revision of the tariff a schedule at a time and at a third session be against this proposition, which, while it is not a revision of a single schedule, is a revision of a few schedules, not with all the countries of the world, but with one country; a plan that I believe marks the beginning of the end of extortionate tariff duties of this country."

SAYS FIREBUG TRUST EXISTS

Illinois State Fire Marshal Tells of Arson Conspiracy.

TWO MEMBERS ARE IN JAIL.

Doyle Asserts Kansas City Is Headquarters for Country-Wide Organization—Fifteen Men Said to Be Responsible for Scheme.

Chicago, July 20.—That there exists a gigantic, country-wide arson trust, with headquarters in Kansas City and representatives in nearly all the large cities, the members of which have a business of setting fire to buildings to enable the owners to collect large sums of insurance, was the sensational charge made by State Fire Marshal C. J. Doyle in an address delivered before the Chicago Association of Commerce.

"The country is facing one of the most gigantic, organized arson conspiracies the world has ever known," said State Fire Marshal Doyle. "The state fire marshals of Illinois have united with the state fire marshals of Kentucky, Tennessee and Ohio to wipe out the band of fifteen men at the bottom of this arson conspiracy."

"The head of the firebug trust is in Kansas City, from which city the operations of the entire gang is operated. The ten legs of this octopus has extended, as the saying of those behind the plot has grown, into a dozen or more cities. They have been found at work in Bloomington and Springfield, Ill.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Cleveland, New York, Buffalo, St. Louis and other cities."

"Two of the gang have been convicted and are now imprisoned in a southern city. The others will be behind the bars before long if we are successful in following the clues we are now working on."

"The firebug problem is one of the most important which confronts the country. Even without the cases of arson, the fire losses of the country are appalling. The fire loss in this country amounts to about \$500 a minute. In Chicago the loss is \$5,000,000 a year, while in Boston the annual loss does not exceed \$200,000. We need to adopt the fire protection plans of European cities."

M'PHERSON QUIZZES LEWIS

Federal Judge Wants to Know Where Promoter Got the Money.

St. Louis, July 20.—Judge Smith McPherson of Red Oak, Ia., sitting with Judge Dyer, in the United States circuit court, in the hearing of the Lewis receivership cases, made a painstaking effort by a series of questions to find out where E. G. Lewis got the money he used in promoting his numerous enterprises and what he had done with it.

He fired his categorical inquiries at Attorney Eugene Angert, who was in court as representative of the reorganization syndicate opposing a blanket receivership for all the Lewis companies. Angert confessed that the tangles of Lewis' affairs had been too great a problem for him to solve in the few months he had devoted to the case thus far.

Angert said the People's Savings Trust company now was unable to pay in cash a certificate deposit for \$50,000 held by the University Heights Realty and Development company. He insisted, however, that the trust company was solvent.

REVOLT IN HAITI SPREADS

Indications That Rebels Will Soon Take Capital.

Washington, July 20.—The revolution in Haiti is spreading so rapidly that it is believed here to be doubtful if the capital of the island republic will much longer remain in possession of President Simon.

The political situation steadily is growing worse, according to the commander of the United States gunboat Petrel, now in Haitian waters for the protection of Americans. His report to the navy department indicates that all of the department of the north, except Cape Haitien and Port Liberté, is controlled by the revolutionists. These important ports are threatened, however, as the rebels defeated the government troops July 16 near Cape Haitien. Because of the precarious situation at Gonaives, the second important city of the republic, where the revolutionists are in power, the Petrel sailed for that place.

Two Years for German Duelist.

Berlin, July 20.—Baron Oswald von Richthofen, who killed Wilhelm von Gaffron in a duel near here May 19, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in a fortress. Both men were army officers, Gaffron being on the retired list. The baron is a son of the late secretary of foreign affairs. A quarrel over money matters led to the duel.

Port of Cardiff Closed by Strike.

Cardiff, Wales, July 20.—At a mass meeting of all classes of workers it was resolved to seal up this port until the ship owners recognize the Seamen's union. In pursuance of this decision the coal trimmers and other workers quit and the seamen are refusing to sign even at advanced rates. The business of the port is paralyzed.

FIGHT HAS STARTED

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bill; it no longer bore any resemblance to the measure which came from the hands of his attorney general. Against all the influence of the great railroad corporations of the country, combined with all the power of the administration, the bill which the executive had caused to be drawn and which he strongly recommended was, excepting as to the provision for the commerce court, which was much improved, literally torn to pieces and rewritten on the floor of the senate. As drawn by the attorney general, by direction of the president, the bill contained but four provisions that could be construed as conferring any benefit upon the public. Framed in ambiguous phraseology, it contained twelve provisions written solely in the interests of the railroads, the like of which had never been presented in any legislative body in America. It was the boldest raid upon public rights in the form of legislation that the system had ever found any administration willing to adopt and attempt to foist upon the serious consideration of congress. Never before had it been attempted with the support of a national administration and of party leaders upon the floors of congress to fasten forever upon the commerce of the country the public burden of transportation charges to pay interest and dividends upon all the watered stocks and bonds which unrestrained corporate greed had set afloat in the financial channels of this country.

"Mr. President, against the opposition of reactionary senators upon both sides of this chamber, representing the reactionary administration, progressive Republican and Democratic senators in reconstructing the rate bill in 1910 on this floor rendered the most conspicuous public service to the American public which it has been my privilege to witness since I have been a member of this body. Day by day through that protracted struggle of three months they fought their way to one achievement after another, until a dozen bad provisions had been forced out and nineteen provisions of vital importance to the public interest had been written into the measure, perfecting it for final passage."

"The railway-rate legislation of 1910 was a valuable addition to the Federal legislation for the regulation of interstate commerce. The long contest aroused public sentiment, and it was alert and watchful. The administration could not afford to reject the measure as reconstructed by congress—and to the credit of congress it passed into statute law."

"Three months before he was inaugurated Roosevelt's cabinet seemed certain of being retained by Taft. Three months after he was inaugurated he seemed to have forgotten that there ever had been any well known Roosevelt policies."

"He had no sooner taken his oath of office than he sacrificed the progressive cause for the support of Aldrich and Cannon and their reactionary program."

"Rebucked at the polls in the election of 1910, he foolishly tried to buy back with post-office appointments the support of the progressive in congress, which he had lost when he abandoned progressive policies."

"In the same spirit he is now seeking to regain the lost confidence of the public by cabinet changes, in the hope that the people will forget."

"The president's course has been vacillating and without definite policy because, apparently, there has been throughout his administration no deep conviction other than the hour makes appear expedient."

"The president allied himself with these same interests in the tariff legislation of 1909; with these same interests when he defeated the tax on individual incomes that session; with these same interests when proposed and attempted to force through congress the railway rate bill in 1910; with these same interests in the long and heart-sickening affair in Alaska, the end of which no man knoweth; and with the power greater than all back of these same interests, when he, on June 22, at a meeting of the New York State Bankers' Association,

openly announced his support of the Aldrich-Morgan credit-controlling monopoly of all monopolies.

"Mr. President, I have viewed the record of this administration to no good purpose if I have not made it plain that the great issue for which Roosevelt appealed to the public conscience, for which the progressives have been fighting for years, is not the tariff, not railway regulation, not conservation. It is these; but, O sir, it is more than all these combined. It is for justice, eternal and everlasting justice, for every human being against organized selfishness and power."

"I will have no quarrel with men. I attack no individual. But, sir, no eminence of position in any party or in government shall protect from deserved criticism the bad record of any public servant."

This, dear reader, is not the criticism of a Democrat but the solemn testimony of a great leader in the Republican party.

Mrs. A. P. Bolin and baby daughter were in Maryville Wednesday, the guests of Mrs. Frank Bolin.

Miss Bernice Baker, living north of Maryville, went to Barnard Wednesday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Westfall, as the guest of Miss Mary Westfall.

BASE BALL

RIFFE'S PARK
Friday Afternoon
North End Boys
vs.
South End Boys

Proceeds for benefit of Mothers' Circle and will be used to equip the school playground.

When Feed is High and Scarce

It is essential to save every ounce of **Butter Fat** from your milk in order to turn to a profit what might otherwise prove a loss. Yes, sir! with a

DeLaval Cream Separator

You can feed your cows hay at \$14.00 per ton and corn at 70c per bushel and make it pay.

The DeLaval Cream Separator

Has no competitor in its class.

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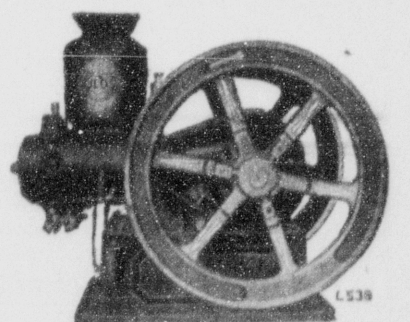
Reduction Sale now on. Opportunity to get first class up-to-date suit at cost.

Headquarters for Olds Gas Engine

You are urged to investigate the merits of the Olds Gas Engine.

We have them from 1½ to 600 horse power and can be used to advantage in almost any kind of work, filling silos, for the cream separator, sheller or grinder, or wood saw. We put a guarantee on every engine that goes out of our place. We solicit your patronage.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL \$100,000.00
SURPLUS \$22,000.00

BEDISON.

Much rain is needed, though we had a nice shower Tuesday night.

Threshing is on in full blast south of town. The yield is good, of oats and wheat.

Chas. Roach had a car of stock out for St. Joseph Tuesday and also Wednesday of this week.

Rev. Ward gave us much food for thought at the services last Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabb of Texas have been spending the past week with friends in this vicinity.

Fire, set out by a threshing engine, was discovered and put out just in time to save a heavy loss in Tom Davis' wheat field the first of the week.

All are cordially invited to attend the ice cream social to be given at the church next Saturday evening.

On account of the continued dry weather the danger of fire has put a watchman on day and night looking after the bridges.

Young rabbits make a nice fry now. Several of the boys have caught good strings.

Oran Thompson, Frank Hall and Frank Dick are the latest additions to the joint gang.

All people having land along the railroad will profit by burning or plowing a good fire guard.

Miss Nellie Douglas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gwinn at Maple Place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown and son James spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Meeker.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

GEORGE W. WICKERSHAM.

Attorney General, Who Declares Way Opened To Punish Trust Heads.



Photo by American Press Association.

FEDERAL CONTROL FOR CORPORATIONS

Attorney General Favors Commission for This Purpose.

Duluth, Minn., July 20.—Gathered in the spacious banquet hall of the Spaulding hotel the delegates to the Minnesota State Bar association listened to an address by Attorney General George W. Wickersham.

Mr. Wickersham took an advanced stand on the further federal regulation of corporations, and said a government commission to regulate great industrial organizations, in the same way that the interstate commerce commission regulates railroads, was certainly most desirable and might be absolutely necessary.

Mr. Wickersham's speech was little short of sensational in many of its features. He declared that it was a matter of serious consideration whether it would be practical to give to the proposed interstate corporations commission the power to fix prices. To do this in the ordinary would simply require an extension of the principle by which the interstate commerce commission controls the rates on railroads.

The law of supply and demand, Mr. Wickersham said, no longer controls prices in the United States. For years, he declared, the prices in all the great staple industries have been fixed by an agreement between the principal producers and not by a normal play of free competition. An interstate commission, the attorney general added, would prevent violations of the anti-trust act and aid business men to maintain a continued status of harmony within the requirements of law.

Many of Mr. Wickersham's declarations were the most radical he has made since his entrance into official life. With the weight of an administration officer behind them, his remarks made a deep impression.

MURDER CHARGES FAIL

Star Witness for Prosecution Admits That He Served Time in Prison.

Chicago, July 20.—State's Attorney Wayman noie pressed the cases filed against Simon O'Donnell, James Garvin and Thomas Kearney, the Chicago labor leaders indicted for the murder of Vincent Altman, who was shot in the Briggs house bar March 22 as the result of a feud between rival factions of labor unions. The labor chiefs were released from custody immediately after the cases were dismissed.

The action was precipitated by the collapse of the state's case when Frank Pardee of Denver, the prosecution's star witness, admitted on cross examination that he had served time in a penitentiary and had been an inmate of an insane asylum for two years.

Maurice Enright is still under indictment for the murder of Altman and is being held without bail.

Court Clerk Attacks Reporter. Oklahoma City, Okla., July 20.—T. J. Beatty, clerk of the superior court here, was arrested following an assault upon Jack Stevens, a reporter for the Oklahoma City Times. Stevens was beaten into unconsciousness, several ribs being broken. The assault is said to be the result of a mandamus suit brought to compel Beatty to show the papers in a court suit.

France May Recall Ambassador.

Paris, July 20.—The press continues excited over the arrest of M. Boisset, the French consul at Alcazar, by a Spanish patrol and demands that Spain make immediate reparation and apology. The Echo de Paris declares that unless Spain apologizes the French ambassador at Madrid will be recalled.

FOUR WALL PAPER JOBBERS INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury Holds They Violate Anti-Trust Law.

CHARGE RESTRAINT OF TRADE

Refused to Compete With Five and Ten-Cent Stores—Threatened to Boycott Manufacturers If They Turned Down Their Demand.

Cleveland, July 20.—Four indictments were returned by the federal grand jury which has been investigating the alleged wall paper trust. The indictments charge a conspiracy in restraint of trade under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The indicted parties are all officials of wall paper jobbing houses. They are J. B. Pearce, president of the J. B. Pearce Wall Paper company of Cleveland; Norton Newcomb of St. Louis; Edward E. Maxwell of Chicago and C. C. Aler of Columbus, O. Bond was fixed at \$5,000 in each case.

The specific charge against the indicted men is that they met in Cleveland on May 30, 1910, and, after a secret session, notified wall paper manufacturers of the country that if they sold wall paper to five and ten-cent stores the jobbers would boycott them.

The significance of this action, the government alleges, is that the four men constitute the executive committee of the National Association of Wall Paper Jobbers. According to federal officials, over 300 five and ten-cent stores throughout the country were affected by the alleged order of the jobbers.

The indictments follow a grand jury investigation of several weeks' duration. United States District Attorney U. G. Denman and Assistant United States District Attorney Joseph Fogz prosecuted the investigation, acting principally on evidence obtained by Henry M. O'Brien, a government agent.

The government first took up the investigation six months ago on the charge of Frank C. Hall, who operates several five and ten-cent wall paper stores in Pittsburg, that wall paper manufacturers and jobbers had combined and refused to sell him wall paper.

SMOOT HAS WOOL MEASURE

Utah Man Introduces Substitute for Underwood and La Follette Bills.

Washington, July 20.—Senator Smoot of Utah introduced his wool tariff bill, which is expected to have the support of the Republicans of the senate, if any wool revision is agreed upon. He said his bill was not an "administration measure," but represented his own views of what reduction could be made in the wool tariff without destroying American industries.

Senator Clark of Wyoming asked Senator Smoot if he thought the senate would pass any wool tariff revision bill before it received the report of the tariff board. Mr. Smoot said he hoped not, but that statements made by Republicans in reciprocity debate had convinced him that a majority of the senate favored a wool tariff revision.

He offered his bill as a substitute for the Underwood and La Follette bills.

650,000 Die of Plague.

London, July 20.—According to figures received in this city, the deaths from the plague in India have reached the enormous total of 650,690 for the half year ended on June 30.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, July 19.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, 85½¢; Sept., 87¢. Corn—July, 61½¢; Sept., 62½¢; @62½¢. Oats—July, 41½¢; Sept., 41½¢. Pork—Sept., \$16.00; Jan., \$15.45. Lard—Sept., \$5.22½; Dec., \$5.20. Ribs—July, \$8.45; Sept., \$8.45. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 85½¢; No. 2 corn, 64½¢; No. 2 oats, 42¢.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, July 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,800; steady; beef steers, \$4.65 @ 6.60; cows and heifers, \$2.65 @ 5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.75 @ 4.75; bulls, \$3.25 @ 4.75; calves, \$3.25 @ 6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 10,988; closed weak; long strings ranged from \$6.30 to \$6.40 and choice lights made a top of \$6.50; bulk of smooth 200-pound stuff landed around \$6.40 @ 6.45. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; prices ruled firm, Idaho grass wethers selling at \$4.30; strictly choice fat yearlings are quotable up to \$1.85 @ 5.00 and a \$7.00 limit would probably stop prime lambs.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 19.—Cattle—Receipts 20,000; 10¢ off; beef steers, \$4.70 @ 6.80; western steers, \$4.00 @ 5.85; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.15; cows and heifers, \$2.10 @ 5.75; calves, \$5.00 @ 7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; strong to 5¢ up; light, \$6.50 @ 7.00; mixed, \$6.50 @ 7.00; heavy, \$6.25 @ 6.95; pigs, \$5.45 @ 6.55; bulk, \$6.60 @ 6.85. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; steady; natives, \$2.60 @ 4.75; westerns, \$3.00 @ 4.80; yearlings, \$4.40 @ 5.65; lambs, \$4.00 @ 7.35.

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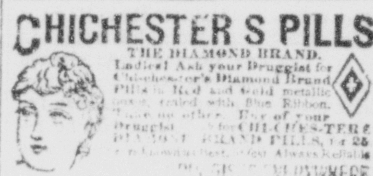
Miss Floy McGlothlin, who visits Maryville each Wednesday to teach the violin to several students, took another student Wednesday in Miss Gertrude Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright. Miss McGlothlin is a teacher of unusual ability. She is the daughter of the Presbyterian minister at Savannah.

Visiting Her Husband.

Mrs. Dean Norris went to Barnard Wednesday evening to spend a few days with her husband, who is employed with his father, J. P. Norris, in papering and painting one of the churches at Barnard. She will be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Dane, while there.

Mrs. Joseph Dobbins of Arkoe was in Maryville shopping Wednesday.

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